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**TOWN WARRANT**  
**The State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the Town of Londonderry in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Matthew Thornton School in said Londonderry on Tuesday, the Fourteenth day of March, next at seven of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

**ARTICLE 1.**

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

**ARTICLE 2.**

To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

**ARTICLE 3.**

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

**ARTICLE 4.**

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell at public auction and convey any real estate acquired through deeds from the Collector of Taxes or as reimbursement for assistance furnished to citizens, providing that in the case of tax deeded real estate the previous owner, or his or her heirs, if known, or its successors or assigns in the case of a corporation, shall have first opportunity to purchase the same, and pass any vote relating thereto.

**ARTICLE 5.**

To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of Class V roads and to raise and set aside for said purposes the sum of \$1,935.21 and the State will contribute the sum of \$12,901.42.

**ARTICLE 6.**

To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Cemetery Perpetual Care Trust Funds, with interest accrued in excess of that necessary for the particular lot, to be used for general cemetery up-keep:

Gary D. & Susanne N. Alley	\$100.00
Nelson & Phyllis Florio	100.00
Andrew & Emma Fyfe	100.00
Kinsman & Eleanor M. Lyon	100.00
David MacGregor	200.00
William MacGregor, Blake MacGregor & Miriam Watts	400.00
Alex & Jessie Martel	100.00
John & Cynthia Penny	100.00

**ARTICLE 7.**

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds established under the provisions of the State and

Local Assistance Act of 1972 the sum of \$25,100 for the purchase of four new Police Cruisers.

**ARTICLE 8.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$444,900, for the purpose of constructing a multi-purpose Town Hall/Police Station and to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate a twenty year note in the sum of \$444,900.

**ARTICLE 9.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150,000 for the purpose of constructing a Central Fire Station, the amount to be appropriated from the general fund.

**ARTICLE 10**

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following specific purpose and in the amount indicated herewith or take any other action hereon:

<b>Appropriation</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Fire Department	\$150,000.00

**ARTICLE 11.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Million (\$1,000,000.00) Dollars for the purchase of six hundred fifty (650) acres, more or less, identified as Lots 14 and 24 on Tax Map #8 of the Town of Londonderry Tax Map for Public Outdoor Recreational Purposes; and further, to authorize and direct the Selectmen, on behalf of the Conservation Commission, to apply for, receive, and expend all Federal, State or other assistance as may be available for municipal purposes including, but not limited to, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation funds and Community Development funds, to encumber said funds and to expend the necessary amount from said encumbered funds for the purchase of the land referred to above and to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate a twenty year note in the sum of \$500,000. The acquisition of the land referred to above will be subject to available matching federal funds, which would reduce the total cost of the real estate to Five Hundred Thousand (\$500,000.00) Dollars for the Town of Londonderry.

By request of the Conservation Commission.

**ARTICLE 12.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for the construction of 5,000 feet of sanitary sewers on Harvey Road, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$250,000 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H.R.S.A. 33:1, et seq., as amended), and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to



take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Londonderry, and to authorize the Selectmen to accept any funds from the Federal Government as may become available for said project.

#### **ARTICLE 13.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) for the construction of 8,800 feet of water main on Harvey Road by the Manchester Water Works, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$350,000 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H.R.S.A. 33:1, et seq., as amended), and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Londonderry, and to authorize the Selectmen to accept any funds from the Federal Government as may become available for said project.

#### **ARTICLE 14.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for the construction of 5,000 feet of water main on Grenier Field Road from Harvey Road to White's Corner, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$250,000 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H.R.S.A. 33:1, et seq., as amended), and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Londonderry, and to authorize the Selectmen to accept any funds from the Federal Government as may become available for said project.

#### **ARTICLE 15.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$75,000 to employ the services of a Professional Appraisal Firm to revalue all of the Taxable Property in the Town of Londonderry.

#### **ARTICLE 16.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 to provide lighting for the Basketball Courts/Skating Area on land owned by the Town and set aside for recreation purposes. The construction of the facility will be subject to available matching federal funds, which would reduce the total cost of the project to \$2,000 for the Town of Londonderry.

By request of Londonderry parks and Recreation Commission

#### **ARTICLE 17.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,000 to construct a multi-purpose field on land owned by the Town and set aside for

recreation purposes. The construction of the facility will be subject to available matching federal funds, which would reduce the total cost of the project to \$17,500 for the Town of Londonderry.

By request of Londonderry Parks and Recreation Commission

#### **ARTICLE 18.**

To see if the Town of Londonderry will vote to become a member of the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. The objectives of the Commission are to provide for and encourage regional planning analyses; promote a consensus on problems of regional concern; and assist with implementation of projects located within, and which extend beyond, the boundaries of member communities. The Commission has only such authority as conferred on it by RSA Chapter 36: Sections 45-53, of 1955, as amended, and will serve in an advisory capacity representing the interests of the local governing body. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint two representatives to the Commission from among those nominated by the Planning Board in accordance with State Law.

#### **ARTICLE 19.**

To see if the Town of Londonderry will vote to appropriate the sum of \$4,181.45 (\$.35 per capita) as the Town's share for the operation of the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. These funds will be used for financing the staff, operating expenses, planning studies, technical assistance, such other programs as may be authorized by the Commission. These funds may be used in conjunction with such other state and/or federal funds as may be available for planning purposes.

A vote on this article is contingent upon Town Meeting approval of the prior article authorizing membership in the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission.

#### **ARTICLE 20.**

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to make application for and to accept and to spend on behalf of the Town, any and all grants or other funds which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government and/or the State of New Hampshire.

#### **ARTICLE 21.**

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to abate taxes or payments in lieu of taxes on the Manchester Airport lands and buildings located in the Town of Londonderry. RSA 423 has recently been amended to permit tax abatement so long as the amount abated is used solely for the operation and maintenance of the Airport. Taxes effected would be only on lands and buildings that the Airport either uses or receives a revenue from, not privately owned buildings on leased lands such as McGraw-Edison, Stead Avionics or Summit Packaging.

#### **ARTICLE 22.**

To see if the Town will adopt the following ordinance: Under RSA 153:5 permits will be required for Oil Fired Equipment effective January 1, 1978 a fee of \$5.00 will be assessed at time of application. Said fee will include 1s'



inspection. Each subsequent inspection if required will also carry a fee of \$5.00. A \$25.00 fine will be assessed for failure to obtain permit & inspection before occupancy.

**ARTICLE 23.**

To see if the Town will adopt the following ordinance: As of January 1st, 1978 a permit will be required for plumbers & electricians to work in the Town of Londonderry. A fee of \$5.00 will be assessed for each permit and applicant must hold a valid N.H. license. Home owners doing their own work in their own home are exempt from being licensed but must obtain a permit.

All permits carry a non-refundable application fee of \$2.50.

**ARTICLE 24.**

To see if the Town will approve a 5% increase in the Londonderry Wage & Salary schedule at all salary levels and in all personnel categories.

**ARTICLE 25**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 466:30-a which makes it unlawful for an owner of any dog licensed or unlicensed to permit said dog to run at large, except when accompanied by the owner or custodian, and when used for hunting, herding, supervising a competition and exhibition or training for such.

Requested by Petition of Royce G. Murray, et al.

**ARTICLE 26.**

To see if the Town will vote to favor adoption of the town manager plan as provided in chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes Annotated.

By petition of John T. Griffin, et al.

**ARTICLE 27.**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:62 for a property tax exemption on real property equipped with a solar energy heating or cooling system which exemption shall be in an amount of 100%.

Requested by Petition of David C. Vale, et al.

**ARTICLE 28.**

To see if the Town of Londonderry will vote to create, establish and maintain a Town Mosquito Control District under the provisions of RSA 437-A and Chapter 171 of New Hampshire State Laws.

**ARTICLE 29.**

To see if the voters of the Town of Londonderry will vote to create the position of Londonderry Town Manager at this 1978 Town Meeting and to appropriate the sum of \$30,000 to fund such position for the coming year. The amount of \$30,000 will be part salary and part office expense.

Requested by Petition of John T. Griffin, et al.

**ARTICLE 30.**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance: Any person, firm, or corporation must obtain a permit before kindling, or causing to be

kindled, any and all outside fires regardless of time of year or weather conditions. Violators will be subject to the penalties under RSA 224: For kindling a fire in the woodlands of another without written permit when a permit is required, a person may be fined not more than \$1,000.00, or imprisoned for 1 year. Persons violating this ordinance shall be responsible for the extinguishment of any non-permit fire, or the cost thereof.

#### **ARTICLE 31.**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinances pursuant to the establishment of an Historic District and an Historic District Commission:

**1.0 Purposes:** Within the Town of Londonderry, it is the particular purpose of this ordinance to preserve and safeguard the heritage of the Town by the creation of a district(s) which

1. Reflects elements of its cultural, social, economic, political and architectural history.
2. Conserves property values in such districts.
3. Fosters civic beauty and pride.
4. Strengthens the historic heritage for the education, pleasure and welfare of the citizens of Londonderry.

**1.01 Qualifications:** The historic district(s) established hereunder and from time to time amended in the manner prescribed by New Hampshire law shall have one or more or any combination of the following characteristics and qualifications, without limitation as to cultural or chronological period.

1. Structures or sites at which events occur or have occurred that contribute to and are identified with (or significantly represent) the broad cultural, political, economic, military or social history of the Town of Londonderry and the State and/or Nation.
2. Structures or sites importantly associated with historic personages.
3. Structures or sites importantly associated with historic examples of a great idea or ideal.
4. Structures or structural remains and sites embodying examples of architectural types or specimens valuable for study of a period, style or method of building construction, or community organization and living, or of landscaping; or a single notable structure or a single site representing the work of a master builder, master designer, architect, or landscape architect.

**1.02 Town of Londonderry Historic District(s) Ordinance.** The Town Meeting action hereby establishes with the Town of Londonderry the following Historic District(s) to be known as the Londonderry Historical District with boundaries as follows:

Lot 98, Londonderry Common  
Lot 51, Methodist Church Parsonage  
Lot 50, Presbyterian Church & Manse/parsonage  
Lot 53, Londonderry Grange #44



Lot 19, Methodist Church

Lot 19A, Old Town Hall, Lion's Clib

**1.03 Historic District Commission:** (a) There shall be appointed by the Selectmen an unpaid Historic District Commission of not less than five (5) members nor more than seven (7) members and one associate member, all of whom shall be residents of the Town of Londonderry, and shall be selected as follows:

At least one from among the residents of the historic district(s) in the town; one for each geographically separate historic district if more than one. One from among the Selectmen of the Town, one from among the Town's Planning Board members.

(b) Each Commission member or associate member shall serve without pay and for a term of three (3) years. Initially, staggered terms of one (1), two (2) and three (3) years shall be assigned the five members and associate member first appointed, so arranged that not more than two terms will expire each year. The Selectmen shall thereafter annually appoint or reappoint members to the Historic District Commission and shall initiate appropriations each year for the activities of such Commission.

(c) Such Commission shall elect annually a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary from its own membership. In case of absence, inability to act, or conflict of interest on the part of the associate member, the decisions of the Commission shall be reached by vote of a majority of the whole number of Commission members.

(d) Said Commission for its purposes shall adopt (and may from time to time amend) rules and regulations not inconsistent with the intention of this ordinance and of the State enabling legislation.

(e) The Town of Londonderry Historical District Commission may, subject to appropriation or other income, employ technical assistants and may accept gifts of money, services or grants, and may hold or expend the same for all or any of the purposes of the Londonderry Historical District.

## **ARTICLE 32.**

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Londonderry Public Safety Commission. The Commission shall be as follows:

### **1. Established**

There is hereby established a Commission, to be called the Londonderry Public Safety Commission, consisting of three members. All members of the commission shall be appointed by the Selectmen for terms of three years each. The members shall be elected with reference to their education, training and experience to perform duties of the office. Members of said commission will serve at the pleasure of the Board of Selectmen.

### **2. Compensation**

The members of the Commission shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by the Selectmen, unless otherwise specifically voted by the Town.

### 3. Officers

The Selectmen shall designate the Chairman and other officers of the Commission.

### 4. Duties

A. The Commission shall, with the approval of the Selectmen and in consultation with the Chief of Police and Fire Chief, restructure and revise the Police Department and Fire Department into the Public Safety Commission, toward the end that the combined functions of the Police and Fire Departments shall more efficiently serve the needs of the citizens of Londonderry, provided, however, that no such restructure or revision shall have fewer positions and/or personnel as are presently existing or serving the Town of Londonderry at the time of the passage of this Article.

B. In addition to the Duties outlined in paragraph A above, the Public Safety Commission shall have the following duties:

1. To appoint, on merit and fitness alone, and to remove all subordinate officers and employees under their control and to fix their compensation.

2. To attend such regular and special meetings of the Selectmen as the Selectmen shall require.

3. To keep full and complete records of the doings of their office and to render to the Selectmen an itemized quarterly report, in writing, showing in detail the activities of the preceding months; and annually, or oftener at the request of the Selectmen, to make a synopsis of said reports for publication.

4. To keep the Selectmen fully advised as to the needs of the Town within the scope of the Fire, Police and Safety areas, and to furnish the Selectmen on or before the 31st day of January of each year a careful, detailed estimate in writing of the probable expenditures of the Town for the ensuing fiscal year.

5. To examine and cause to be examined, with or without notice, the affairs of any department under its control, or the conduct of any officer or employee thereof, therefore, for that purpose, shall have access to all pertinent Town books and papers for the information necessary for the proper performance of its duties.

6. To perform such other duties, consistent with the office, as may be required of them by vote of the Selectmen.

### 5. Incompatability of Officers

The members of the Commission, during the time that each holds such appointment, shall hold no other municipal public office except Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

### 6. Records

The Commission may file and keep its records in space and facilities made available in the office of the Selectmen.

## ARTICLE 33.

To see if the Town will adopt the following ordinance relative to the traffic rules and regulations of Londonderry, N.H.:



## **TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS OF LONDONDERRY, N.H.**

### **Section I — Introductory and Effective Date**

This chapter shall be deemed and construed to be an exercise of the police power of the Town of Londonderry in the State of New Hampshire for the preservation and protection of public safety, and all of its provisions shall be liberally construed with a view to the effectuation of such purposes. Any by-laws or ordinances concerning the regulations of traffic previously enacted are hereby repealed. The traffic rules and regulations of Londonderry, as amended, shall become effective upon adoption.

### **Section II — Police, Fire Vehicles**

Nothing in this chapter shall apply to fire apparatus or police cars officially used in connection with any town department or town business, but such vehicles shall at all times be operated and otherwise handled in a reasonable manner under the circumstances.

### **Section III — Definitions**

A. The word “Vehicle” shall mean any device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported upon a street, except a device which is operated upon rails or tracks.

B. The word “Roadway” shall mean that portion of a street, exclusive of shoulders, improved and intended to be used for vehicular traffic.

C. The word “Street” shall mean the entire width between property lines of any public streets, avenue, road, highway, alley, lane or path located in the Town of Londonderry and established for the use of vehicles.

D. The word “Sidewalk” shall mean that portion of a street or roadway set aside for pedestrian travel.

E. The word “Operator” shall mean and include every individual who shall operate a vehicle, as the owner thereof, or as the agent, employee or permittee of the owner, or is in actual physical control of a vehicle.

F. The word “Park” or “Parking” shall mean the standing of a vehicle whether occupied or not, upon a street other than temporarily for the purpose of, and while actually engaged in, receiving or discharging passengers or loading or unloading merchandise or in obedience to traffic regulations, signs or signals or an involuntary stopping of the vehicle by reason of causes beyond the control of the operator of the vehicle.

G. The word “Intersection” shall mean any meeting of one or more roadways with another, or any meeting of one or more roadways with a railroad.

H. The word “Pedestrian” shall mean any person afoot.

I. The word “Crosswalk” shall mean that portion of a roadway included within the prolongation or connection of curb lines and property lines at intersections, or at any portion of a roadway clearly indicated for pedestrian crossing by lines on the road surface or by any other markings or signs.

### **Section IV — Placing and Maintaining**

The Chief of Police is hereby authorized and, as to those signs and

signals required hereunder, it shall be his duty, to place and maintain, or cause to be placed or maintained, all official traffic signs, signals, markings, and safety zones. All signs, signals, marking, and safety zones shall conform to such standards, if any, as are prescribed by the Highway Commissioner, State of New Hampshire.

## **Section V — Traffic Control Legend**

A. Colors and arrow indications in traffic-control signals shall have the commands ascribed to them in this section, and no other meanings, and every operator of a vehicle shall comply therewith except when otherwise directed by a police officer.

B. In no case shall an operator enter or proceed through an intersection without due regard to the safety of other persons within the intersection regardless of what indications may be given by traffic control signals.

C. Colors of traffic control signals shall mean:

1. **Green** — While the green lens is illuminated, operators facing the signal may proceed through the intersection, but shall yield the right of way to pedestrians and vehicles lawfully within a crosswalk or the intersection at the time such signal was exhibited.
2. **Yellow, Yellow and Red** — While the yellow lens is illuminated, or both a yellow and red lens are illuminated, operators facing the signal shall not proceed, and any operator approaching the intersection or marked stop line, shall stop at such points unless so close to the intersection that a stop cannot be made in safety.
3. **Red** — While the red lens is illuminated, operators facing the signal shall stop outside of the intersection, or at such point as may be clearly marked by a sign or line; provided, however, that if a green arrow is illuminated at the same time, operators may enter the intersection to make the movement permitted by such arrow. When not prohibited by a sign at the intersection, vehicles may, after stopping, make a right turn.
4. **Flashing Yellow** — The yellow lens when illuminated with rapid intermittent flashes shall indicate the presence of hazard and operators may proceed only with caution.
5. **Flashing Red** — The red lens when illuminated with rapid intermittent flashes shall indicate a hazard and operators facing the signal shall come to a full stop outside of the intersection, or at such point as may be clearly marked by a sign or line on the way.

## **Section VI — Prohibited Parking**

A. No operator shall park a vehicle in any of the following places and vehicles found parked in violation of any of the provisions of this section may be moved by, or under the direction of a police officer of the Town of Londonderry to a place where parking is permitted, at the expense of the operator.

- (1) General prohibited parking areas:
  - (a) Within fifty (50) feet of any intersection.



- (b) Upon any sidewalk.
- (c) Upon any crosswalk.
- (d) In front of a private driveway.
- (e) Within any intersection.
- (f) Within twenty-five (25) feet of a fire hydrant.
- (g) Upon any roadway.

B. Nothing in Section VI A, shall be interpreted as prohibiting:

- (1) Police, fire or emergency parking.
- (2) Parking of commercial vehicles while loading or unloading, or
- (3) Parking for weddings or funerals.

## **Section VII — Pedestrian Right of Way**

A. The operator of a vehicle shall allow pedestrians the right of way crossing a street at a crosswalk.

## **Section VIII — Vehicle in Motion**

A. No U-turns. A vehicle shall not turn about (make a one hundred and eighty degree turn) in a street or intersection.

B. The operator of any vehicle, other than one on official business related to a fire call shall not follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than five hundred (500) feet, or drive within or park such vehicle within five hundred (500) feet of where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm.

## **Section IX — Police Control**

A. The Police Department shall control all traffic and vehicles on the streets of Londonderry. Vehicles must stop or start immediately on signal by any police officer in uniform.

## **Section X — Owner Prima Facie Responsible for Violations**

A. If any vehicle is found on any street or highway in violation of any provision of this chapter and the identity of the driver cannot be determined, the owner or the person in whose name the vehicle is registered, shall be held prima facie responsible for such violation.

## **Section XI — Open Vehicles to be Covered**

A. No vehicle shall be operated on any street loaded with earth, sand, asphalt, stone, gravel or other particulate substance unless said vehicle is equipped with and said load is secured by a **close**-fitting tarpaulin which prevents the escape of any substance from the load onto the street.

## **Section XII — Accidents**

A. Any person operating a motor vehicle which is in any way involved in an accident shall within five (5) days after such accident report in writing to the Chief of Police the facts required (a) If any person is killed or injured, or (b) If damage to property is in excess of \$300, or (c) If said person is uninsured and damage to property is in excess of \$50.00 (combined damage in both (b) and (c)).

B. No vehicle, causing damage to itself and/or the property of another, shall be removed from the scene of an accident unless the owner or his

representative shall have notified the Police Department and have received permission from the Police Department or an officer thereof to so remove the vehicle.

C. No operator of a wrecker, tow truck or other vehicle shall assist in removing a vehicle that has been involved in an accident causing damage to itself and/or the property of another until such time as permission is granted for the removal by a police officer at the scene of the accident.

**Section XIII — Penalty**

A. Whenever no penalty is otherwise provided for, any person who violates the traffic rules and regulations of Londonderry, New Hampshire shall be subject to a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each offense.

**ARTICLE 34.**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATIONS OF  
OFF HIGHWAY VEHICLE USE**

In order to preserve and protect the peace and tranquility of the Town of Londonderry and its inhabitants from the promiscuous use of Off-Highway Recreational Vehicles (OHRV) within areas adjacent to residences, thereby disturbing the normal comfort and sleep of the residents, be it ordained by the Selectmen of the Town of Londonderry in accordance with Chapter 269-C:VI, R.S.A. as follows:

**Section 1 — DEFINITIONS**

The definitions contained in Chapter 269-C shall apply in their entirety to the interpretation of this ordinance.

**Section 2 — OPERATION OF OFF HIGHWAY RECREATIONAL VEHICLES**

No person shall operate or cause to be operated, an Off Highway Recreational Vehicle within three hundred (300) feet of any occupied dwelling other than that of the owner or user of said vehicle, when such use will be more than three hundred feet from any other residence, between the hours of thirty minutes past ten in the evening and thirty minutes past seven in the morning.

**Section 3 — PENALTY**

Any person convicted of a violation of this ordinance shall forfeit to the Town of Londonderry an amount set by the District Court not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

**ARTICLE 35.**

To see if the Town will adopt the following Ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE CONDUCT IN PUBLIC PLACES,  
WAYS AND BUILDINGS**

DEFINITIONS. For the purposes of this ordinance the following terms, phrases, words and their derivations shall have the meaning given herein. When not inconsistent with the context, words used in the present tense shall also include the future; words in the plural number include the singular



number, and words in the singular number include the plural number. The word “shall” is always mandatory and not merely directory.

- (1) Town is the Town of Londonderry, New Hampshire.
- (2) Selectmen are the elected officials of the Town, empowered to draw and enforce ordinances.
- (3) Police Officer is the Chief of Police and all sworn police personnel or their designees.
- (4) Public Places are the properties owned or used by the Town, including but not limited to parks, commons, playgrounds and parking lots.
- (5) Public Ways are streets, avenues, lanes and other traveled ways owned, used and maintained by the Town, including all the area within the rights of way.
- (6) Town Buildings are office buildings, schools, garages, sheds, libraries and any other building owned, used or maintained by the Town.
- (7) Person is any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company or organization of any kind.

#### **BEHAVIOR**

(1) **INTOXICATING BEVERAGES.** No person shall consume Alcoholic Beverages in any Public Place, Town Building, or Public Way unless they are granted permission so to do by a Police Officer. Possession of an unsealed or partly consumed container of an Alcoholic Beverage shall be deemed an act of consumption for purposes of this Ordinance. In any event, a person shall remove any Alcoholic Beverage immediately upon the request of any Police Officer or take such action as requested by the Police Officer to prevent the possession or consumption in the Public Place.

(2) **LOITERING AND BOISTEROUSNESS.** No person shall sleep or protractedly lounge on seats, benches or other areas or engage in loud, boisterous conduct that disturbs the peaceful use of the area by others.

(3) **PENALTY.** Any person violating provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor and subject to a fine not to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each offense.

#### **ARTICLE 36.**

To see if the Town will adopt the following Ordinance:

1. From November 1 to April 1 of each year, no person shall park any motor vehicle on any public highway between midnight and 8:00 A.M. or at any other time in such a manner as to impede snow removal operations.

Violators will be fined \$15.00 or any vehicle parked in violation may be towed by the road agent, the police chief or their agents or by an independent contractor engaged by the road agent or the police chief, any vehicle so towed shall be stored and released to the owner only upon payment of the cost of towing as established from time to time by the Board of Selectmen.

2. No person shall shovel, plow, and in any way, move or cause snow to be moved, from private property to a street or sidewalk. Violators will be subject to a fine of \$15.00.

**ARTICLE 37.**

To see if the Town will adopt the new provisions of RSA 43-C to expand exemptions on real estate for the elderly, changing the eligibility requirement that a person may own no more than \$35,000.00 in assets of any kind to a requirement that a person may own no more than \$50,000.00 in assets of any kind.

**ARTICLE 38.**

To see if the Town will adopt the new provisions of RSA 72:43-B relative to expanded exemption on real estate for the elderly, changing the basis of the exemption from the equalized assessed value to the actual assessed valuation.

**ARTICLE 39.**

To see if the Town will vote to recess the Town Meeting to reconvene at the call of the Selectmen for the purpose of taking what ever action is necessary or indicated by the Rockingham County Solid Waste Study to enable the Town to meet its solid waste disposal needs in conformity with existing laws and regulations.

By request of the Rockingham County Commissioners

**ARTICLE 100.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, by revising Article B3 to read:

3. Methods of Residential land Allocation — residential development within this District is permitted according to either of the following two methods:

a. Sub-division by minimum lot size.

1. Minimum Land Area — No residential lot with or without Town Water and/or Town Sewage, shall be less than one acre. A residence may be constructed on a lot of record at the time this Ordinance becomes effective regardless of the area or width of the lot.

2. Frontage. Every building lot shall have a minimum lot frontage of 150 feet.

3. Front Yard. There shall be between the edge of the nearest right of way and the extreme front of any building a minimum depth of 40 feet.

4. Side Yard. No building shall be located nearer than 15 feet from the side property lines.

5. Back Yard. There shall be between the extreme back of any building and the rear property line a minimum depth of 15 feet.

6. Flood Plains. Every residential lot shall contain at least 22,000 square feet of contiguous land above the 50 year flood plain elevation as determined by the Federal Insurance Administration's flood hazard boundary map or, if not available, Soil Conservation Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture (SCS-USDA) flood plain soils.

7. Easements. Every residential lot shall contain at least 22,000 square feet of contiguous land outside a Public Utility transmission easement.

8. Non-sewered lots. Every residential lot not served by Town sewer shall be subject to the following:



a. Receiving Soil. Every lot shall contain at least 22,000 square feet of contiguous natural in place soil, having the following characteristics:

1. The depth of ledge or impermeable stratum (soils in which the percolation rate is greater than 60 minutes per inch) shall be two (2) feet or greater.

2. The depth to seasonal high water shall be one (1) foot or greater.

3. The slope of the land shall be 25 percent or less.

4. The soil must be of a class included in Groups 1 thru 5 inclusive as defined by the New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission (NHWSPCC) soil grouping for estimating lot size. The above items shall be based on current SCS-USDA soil classifications or SCS-USDA and NHWSPCC reclassifications. The Receiving soil shall not include filled lands except borrow or gravel pits renovated to meet the above specifications.

b. Receiving Layer. Every Receiving Soil shall contain an area of at least 4,000 square feet having the following characteristics:

1. The depth to ledge or impermeable stratum shall be five (5) feet or greater.

2. Land which is wet more than six (6) months of the year and existing and proposed wells shall be a minimum of 75 feet distant.

The above items shall be based on current SCS-USDA soil classifications or SCS-USDA and NHWSPCC reclassifications in conjunction with on-site testing.

c. Minimum Lot Sizes. Minimum areas for lots subject to the provisions of this article shall be determined by the following chart:

		Lot Size (sq. ft.)				
		Soil Groups				
Slope Classification	% Slope	1	2	3	4	5
AB	0-8	43,560	43,560	48,000	43,560	90,000
C	8-15	43,560	43,560	53,000	48,000	N/A *
D	15-25	43,560	46,800	62,000	52,000	N/A
E	25-35	43,560	50,700	72,000	57,000	N/A

\* Non-applicable.

The soil groupings correspond to NHWSPCC soil groupings for estimating lot size. Lot size shall be calculated on the predominant soil type with soil complexes using the highest group number. NHWSPCC Class 6 Group Soils cannot be included in the calculations of minimum lot area.

b. Planned Residential Development.

1. The purpose of a Planned Residential Development (PRD) shall be to preserve the natural and rural environment of this community and to provide recreation and open spaces.

2. The maximum number of lots allowed shall be no more than allowed by Section III, Article B3a of this Ordinance. All provisions of Section III, B3a apply to this section except as specified herein.

3. All PRD's shall be served by a community water supply designed in accordance with the standards of the Town of Londonderry, N.H. and the NHWSPCC, and may be served by a community sub-surface disposal system.

4. The minimum total land area shall be 20 acres.

5. No PRD lots shall front on or be serviced from any Town or State roads, or proposed extensions existing at the time the PRD is submitted, nor shall such lots front on or be serviced from Collector streets proposed in conjunction with the development plan.

6. A minimum of 40% of the total tract area shall be set aside as buffer space, common open space and community open space.

7. A PRD lot shall contain no less than 22,000 square feet. Frontage to be based on a minimum width of 100 feet measured parallel with the road at the building set-back line, currently specified in the Zoning Ordinance, Section III, B3a3.

8. Common Open Space shall be restricted to recreational, conservation, and utility (except lagoon or above ground mechanical sewerage disposal or treatment areas) uses — its location, accessibility, orientation and variety of use shall be subject to Planning Board approval.

9. Such common open space shall be covenanted, leased, or conveyed to be maintained as permanent open space at the discretion of the Planning Board; the open space may be deeded to the Town or protected by easements granted to the town. The terms of such easement, covenant, lease, or other conveyance must include provisions suitable to the Planning Board for guaranteeing:

a. the continued use of such land for the intended purposes.

b. continuity of proper maintenance for those portions of the open space land requiring maintenance.

c. when appropriate, the availability of funds required for such maintenance.

d. adequate insurance protection.

e. recovery for loss sustained by casualty, condemnation or otherwise and f. in the case of a homeowners association or other similar form of ownership, that the membership and obligation of the residents of the PRD be automatic upon the conveyance of title or lease to individual dwelling units.

10. The applicant must file at the Rockingham County Registry of Deeds at the time the approved final subdivision map is filed, legal documents which will produce the guarantee described and contained in paragraph 9 above and in particular, will provide a method for restricting the use of Common Open Space for the designated purposes.

11. Structures shall be located no closer than two hundred (200) feet of any existing residential development.

12. Procedures for the submission and review of PRD's shall conform to the procedures currently in force for conventional subdivisions and other requirements deemed necessary by the Planning Board.

#### **ARTICLE 101.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, by revising Article B4 to read:

4. WITH or WITHOUT a town water supply and a town sewerage system, conversion of existing residences or construction of new multi-family residences shall comply with the following: (see Section a. for multi-family



restrictions effective 3/5/75).

a. Any building which includes two or more dwelling units is a multi-family residence. (Effective 3/5/75, all multi-family residences (condominiums and/or apartments), except owner occupied duplexes, are excluded from the Town of Londonderry).

b. Multi-family residences shall be restricted to a multi-family development, prepared by a professional land use planner approved by the Planning Board, where the subdivision and building site location have been approved by the Planning Board. The building plans shall be approved by the Building Inspector.

1. The plans shall provide by building location and/or appropriate planting, a buffer zone intended to minimize the impact on adjacent residential areas.

c. Multi-family developments shall have a minimum of 400 feet of frontage. For each dwelling unit over 100 — an additional four (4) feet of frontage shall be required. All multifamily developments are restricted to the following roads: Route 128 (Mammoth Road), Route 102 (Nashua Road), Old Nashua Road (South of Route 102 and West of Route 128), Route 28 and Grenier Field Road, with a depth limitation perpendicular to the frontage of 1,500 (one thousand five hundred) feet.

d. A multi-family development shall include a minimum of 10 acres.

e. A building shall contain no more than 8 dwelling units.

f. Building height shall be limited to two stories above ground level.

g. A sewerage disposal plan shall be approved and signed by the New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission.

h. Two family dwellings are exempt from the requirements of para. 4 (a thru g) provided the lot includes two (2) acres and the building will be owner occupied.

i. Nothing contained in this amendment to the Zoning Ordinance shall require any change in the plans, construction or use of the land and buildings for which plans have been approved and recorded in the Registry of Deeds, and funds expended and development has been lawfully commenced pursuant to such plans, as of the date of posting of the notice of the 1st public meeting (Dec. 28, 1972).

j. Minimum lot size per building — one acre for the first dwelling unit plus 5,000 square feet for each additional dwelling unit — cluster development is acceptable provided the total land area and all other requirements of the district are met. In addition to the lot size requirement open space (excluding parking, travel, turning areas, accessory buildings, service areas, walks, etc.) shall be provided and developed for recreational use per the following table:

1 Bedroom or studio unit	3,000 sq. ft. per unit.
2 Bedroom units	5,000 sq. ft. per unit.
3 Bedroom units	7,000 sq. ft. per unit.

k. Multi-family maximum density for non-sewered sites.

1. The Net Area shall be the total parcel area less all N.H. Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission group six (6) soils including water bodies,

wetlands and flood plains, or 75% of the total parcel area, whichever is smaller.

2. The maximum allowable number of bedrooms per parcel shall be determined as follows:

Max. bedrooms per parcel = 
$$\frac{\text{Net area (4)}}{\text{Soil factor}}$$

The soil factor in above formula shall be based on the following chart:

		Soil Factor				
		Soil Groups				
Slope Classification	% Slope	1	2	3	4	5
AB	0-8	0.46	0.46	0.55	0.50	1.03
C	8-15	0.46	0.49	0.61	0.55	N/A *
D	15-25	0.46	0.54	0.71	0.59	N/A
E	25-35	0.46	0.58	0.83	0.65	N/A

\* Non-applicable.

The soil groupings correspond to NHWSPCC soil groupings for estimating lot size.

3. For parcels with more than one soil and slope delineation, the composite soil factor shall be an average by area of the individual soil factors.

4. In calculating multi-family densities from the formula in Para. 4-k-2, proposed one (1) bedroom residences shall be counted as 1.5 bedrooms.

**ARTICLE 102.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, Article B to read:

9. Any home owner may maintain an office or carry on a home occupation, business, or profession in that person’s home providing that such useage does not create a public nuisance as to sight, sound, smell, or any other action which would interfere with nearby property owner’s rights. Such business should not involve extensive modifications of said dwelling, shall not involve the storage or parking of Commercial vehicles and should not involve any employees or business associates working on the premises other than members of the owner’s immediate family. Customer parking should be limited to two cars with parking to be provided on the owner’s property. The Board of Adjustment will be allowed to grant a special excep-tion to allow one employee.

10. DELETE.

**ARTICLE 103.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, Article B by adding:

11. Yard Sales. The intended use of yard sales is to disperse unwanted personal property. It is not intended to be perpetual in nature, or for items owned or imported by another. Duration of yard sales shall be no more than two contiguous weeks per year and must be approved in advance by the



office of Building Inspector. Signs must be approved by the Building Inspector.

**ARTICLE 104.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, Article B by adding:

12. Agricultural livestock, poultry, dog kennels and horses will not be permitted except on lots containing two (2) acres or more, and provided that such use does not create a public nuisance as to sight, sound and smell or any other action which would interfere with nearby property owners rights.

**ARTICLE 105.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter I, Section XVIII, Trailers by adding:

F. The maximum number of trailers or mobile homes allowed in any Trailer Park shall be four (4) per acre unless such trailer will be attached to a Town Sewer System in which case a maximum number of eight (8) per acre shall be allowed.

**ARTICLE 106.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section VI, Industrial District to add the following special exceptions to Article E:

- 3. Restaurants
- 4. Stationery and Office Supply Firms
- 5. Computer Service Firms

**ARTICLE 107.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section VII, Commercial Districts to read:

B-5 Garage, Used Car Lots, Automotive Service Station, providing storage tanks are underground. (Planning Board and Selectmen approval is needed before a permit can be issued.)

**ARTICLE 108.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section XIX, Signs, Article 2B to add the following:

3. The Board of Adjustment, with the advice of the Planning Board and Board of Selectmen, may allow an exception to increase the sign size over that otherwise specified to a maximum of a single 48 square foot sign, either ground or building, provided that the applicant has in Industrially zoned building with ground floor area greater than 20,000 square feet.

**ARTICLE 109.**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Ordinance, Chapter I, Section III, Residential District by adding the following:

C. No Residential building permit shall be awarded for any lot not of record or having an approval letter prior to March 14, 1978 except as provided in this article. The purpose of this article is to ensure that required town and school district services grow at a rate consistent with growth in nearby towns, and not at rates which prove a hardship on the town citizens and which cause

excessive tax increases:

1. The maximum number of building permits which shall be issued in any one year shall be limited to 5.4% of the Londonderry School enrollment of October 1 of the previous year.

2. The Planning Board shall determine the method of allocation of these permits.

#### **ARTICLE 110.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:

To amend Chapter I, Section iii of the Londonderry Zoning Ordinance, OR ANY REPLACEMENT THEREOF, INCLUDING ANY APPROPRIATE CHAPTER, SECTION OR PARAGRAPH OF ANY "MASTER PLAN" PROPOSED CONCURRENTLY HEREWITH, by adding the following provision:

(Number) Any other provision in this ordinance or in any subdivision regulations to the contrary notwithstanding, and in order to provide for reasonable, necessary and orderly growth, in a manner which is economically feasible and to prevent arbitrariness and discrimination in such growth, any subdivisions of land proposed and submitted to the Planning Board pursuant to New Hampshire RSA Chapter 36 subsequent to March 1, 1978, shall be entitled, as a **matter of right and not as a privilege**, to receive (a) approval for subdivision and (b) an appropriate building permit, for no less than twenty-five (25) individual lots per twelve (12) month period following approval; subject only to the provision that:

- (i) The total number of lots receiving approval for subdivision during any calendar year shall not exceed three (3%) per cent of the total number of acres of "undeveloped" land within the Town, determined as of April 1st, 1978, excluding (a) "wet lands" as defined by state or federal statutes or regulations, (as shown on official maps or charts), (b) town, federal, or state owned property, (c) roads (public and private), and (d) industrially and commercially zoned land (as determined by the Town tax map), and

- (ii) Each such subdivision, its proposed lots and/or their proposed buildings shall meet and comply with all zoning laws, subdivision regulations, and building code requirements, as appropriate, excluding those ordinances, provisions or regulations which would fix (a) the number of lots which may be approved or (b) the number of building permits which may be granted on any basis of numerical proportion to the population of the Town, or school system, or the number of previously approved lots or building permits granted, or which would in any other way attempt to limit growth in the Town by non-natural, arbitrary numerical formulae.

#### **ARTICLE 111.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:

Consider this request from Louis Faucher, 182 Litchfield Rd., Londonderry, New Hampshire for permission to expand the mobile home park established in 1968, in accordance with all state and town regulations. This mobile home park will be for adults only. This park to be expanded at no more than six (6) units per year.



**ARTICLE 112.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
Request that Parcel 40 on Tax Map 6 be rezoned from Residential to Commercial under R.S.A. 31:63-b.

**ARTICLE 113.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
Request that Map 6 Lot 43, presently included within the Agricultural-Residential Zone, be classified as Commercial under the terms of said ordinance and map.

**ARTICLE 114.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To re-zone Parcel 53 Tax Map 6 to commercial, for a depth of 500 ft., parallel to Rt. 102.

**ARTICLE 115.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To re-zone parcel 33 on Tax Map 7 to Commercial.

**ARTICLE 116.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To re-zone parcel 128 Tax Map 7 to Commercial.

**ARTICLE 117.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To re-zone Lot 7-131 from an existing variance to Commercial on Route 102, Londonderry.

**ARTICLE 118.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To rezone from residential to commercial use, land on Tax Map #13, and portions of parcels #66, #67 and #104, Rockingham Road, Londonderry, N.H. and being land owned by Properties Inc., and Public Service Co., Manchester, N.H.

**ARTICLE 119.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
Request Lot #60 (Sixty) on Tax Map #13 (thirteen) owned by Francis P. Rich and Catherine L. Rich to be re-zoned to Commercial property in accordance with RSA 31:63B.

**ARTICLE 120.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to

the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To zone the property owned by New Hampshire Crane & Equipment Co., Inc. on Rt. 28 at the junction of So. Willow and So. Mammoth Rd. at the Manchester - Londonderry town line across from The Junk Yard Restaurant and Anagnos Trucking, from agricultural residential to commercial. Said property being shown on Tax Map 17 parcel 19 of the Town of Londonderry.

**ARTICLE 121.**

To see whether the Town will vote to adopt the following amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, submitted to the Planning Board by petition:  
To have the following properties changed from agricultural/residential zoning to commercial/industrial zoning: 1. That parcel of land shown and described on Tax Map 17, Parcels 25, 26 & 27 owned by John Robert and Betty Jane Evans. That parcel of land shown and described on Tax Map 15, Parcel 235, owned by Aime J. Huard.

**ARTICLE 40.**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500 for the purpose of hiring an outside Auditing Firm to audit the Town Books.

Per the request of the Budget Committee

**ARTICLE 41.**

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty third day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy-eight.

Robert A. Early, Chairman  
Donald Babin  
Norman Russell  
Board of Selectmen,  
Londonderry, N.H.

A true Copy of Warrant: Attest:

Robert A. Early, Chairman  
Donald Babin  
Norman Russell  
Board of Selectmen,  
Londonderry, N.H.

We hereby certify that we gave notice of the inhabitants within named, to meet at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned, by posting up an attested copy at the Matthew Thornton School, U.S. Post Office, Londonderry Town Office, Strino's General Store and Crossroad's, being public places in said Town, on the twenty seventh day of February, 1978.

Robert A. Early, Chairman  
Donald Babin  
Norman Russell  
Board of Selectmen,  
Londonderry, N.H.



# SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Ensnring Fiscal Year 1978 1978-79
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest & Dividends Tax.....	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 21,420.70	\$ 24,000.00
Railroad Tax .....			
Savings Bank Tax.....	7,500.00	8,964.66	9,500.00
Meals & Rooms Tax.....	71,000.00	84,440.93	90,000.00
State Aid — Water Pollution Projects.			
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V) .....	37,197.05	37,197.05	39,000.00
Reimbursement Forest Fire Aid.....	500.00	417.40	500.00
Reimbursement Welfare .....	1,000.00	211.28	—
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion) .....	155,200.00	155,202.24	160,000.00
Police Grants .....	15,000.00	11,036.00	10,000.00
Fuel Refunds .....	—	3,434.35	4,000.00
<b>From Local Sources:</b>			
Dog Licenses .....	2,300.00	8,703.25	9,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees .....			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees.....	25,000.00	45,466.72	55,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits .....	235,000.00	273,765.00	290,000.00
Income from Trust Funds .....	45,000.00	35,978.67	40,000.00
Ambulance Fees .....	3,750.00	4,576.19	4,700.00
Conservation Comm.....	2,000.00	2,838.00	3,000.00
LHRA .....	—	4,000.00	—
National Bank Stock Taxes.....	—	2,927.00	—
Resident Taxes Retained .....	—	34.75	34.75
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed .....	65,000.00	65,550.00	66,500.00
Refunds, Bids, Equip. Sales .....	2,000.00	4,157.21	3,000.00
Sale of Tax Lien Property .....	—	6,349.71	1,000.00
	—	7,517.63	—

	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Ensnwing Fiscal Year 1978 1978-79
Income from Departments .....			
Police Department .....	15,000.00	33,652.01	20,000.00
Fire Department .....	—	934.00	—
CETA .....	—	5,271.70	10,000.00
Bond & Note Issues (Contra) .....			
Misc. — Local Sources .....	10,000.00	2,152.54	2,000.00
Surplus .....	—	—	—
EPA .....	—	32,400.00	—
<b>From Federal Sources:</b>			
Revenue Sharing .....	90,000.00	121,194.00	175,100.00
Anti-Recession Funds .....	—	2,358.00	—
* Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes .....	<u>\$800,447.05</u>	<u>\$982,150.99</u>	<u>\$1,016,334.75</u>
* Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes .....	\$638,078.09	655,690.17	\$ 633,021.37
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>			<u>\$1,679,356.12*</u>



**TOWN OF LONDONDERRY**  
**1978 Budget**

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Com. 1978 Proposed
<b>Town Government:</b>				
Town Office Salaries.....	\$ 58,165.00	\$ 57,136.57	\$ 78,215.60	\$ 78,215.60
Town Office Expense.....	21,000.00	31,326.75	25,000.00	23,000.00
Town Hall Expense.....	9,000.00	8,992.86	7,500.00	7,500.00
Election & Registration.....	1,000.00	689.35	2,000.00	1,500.00
Selectmen's Expense.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Maps & Appraisals.....	11,500.00	11,841.40	13,500.00	13,500.00
Social Security BC/BS.....	39,769.00	33,475.37	43,780.01	43,780.01
Forest Fire Department.....	1,500.00	1,415.96	1,500.00	1,500.00
Insurance.....	25,500.00	34,692.24	60,513.00	60,513.00
Dog Officer.....	11,300.00	11,017.76	13,512.00	14,225.00
Professional Expenses.....	11,000.00	9,654.80	15,000.00	15,000.00
Conservation Commission.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Planning Board Expense.....	15,400.00	14,907.86	20,050.00	20,050.00
Civil Defense.....	50.00	84.64	430.00	180.00
Board of Adjustment.....	250.00	512.70	400.00	400.00
Recreation Commission.....	10,441.00	8,119.96	11,066.00	11,066.00
Ambulance Service.....	26,855.36	26,855.36	38,136.93	38,136.93
Visiting Nurse.....	6,300.00	6,300.00	10,800.00	10,800.00
Town Dump.....	66,000.00	66,000.00	71,682.00	71,682.00
Sewer Commission.....	9,000.00	1,195.06	3,000.00	3,000.00
Salary Committee.....	500.00	—	500.00	500.00
Leach Library Expense.....	35,617.54	28,738.65	44,475.26	44,475.26
Town Poor.....	7,500.00	6,091.57	10,000.00	10,000.00
OAA — APTD.....	12,000.00	13,195.11	12,000.00	12,000.00
Memorial Day.....	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Old Home Day.....	500.00	719.75	500.00	500.00
Town Common.....	500.00	332.50	500.00	500.00
Cemeteries.....	2,000.00	6,382.75	2,000.00	2,000.00
Hydrant Rental.....	9,095.40	9,095.40	8,948.70	8,948.70

Long Term Interest .....	11,750.00	12,292.77	6,148.00	6,148.00
<b>Departmental Expenses:</b>				
Highway Department .....	330,981.91	329,374.61	402,565.21	367,565.21
Police Department .....	252,731.75	257,208.57	339,801.76	325,680.63
Fire Department .....	138,738.18	139,021.76	179,747.05	179,747.05
Building & Health Department .....	14,650.00	15,045.13	23,250.00	23,250.00
Departmental Fuel .....	17,150.00	19,826.68	21,500.00	21,500.00
<b>Principal Payments:</b>				
Grenier Field Loan .....	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Library & Contents .....	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Fire Truck - Highway Garage .....				
Sewer Engineering .....	5,800.00	5,800.00	5,800.00	5,800.00
LHRA Sewer & Water Lines .....	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Fire Truck Loan .....	10,500.00	10,500.00	—	—
<b>Taxes Budgeted:</b>				
County Taxes .....	167,486.00	175,357.95	184,234.60	184,234.60
Line Item Budget Totals .....	1,362,831.14	1,374,501.84	1,679,356.12	1,628,197.99
<b>Payments Made Not Budgeted:</b>				
Taxes Bought By Town .....		139,136.88		
Abatements & Refunds .....		5,741.40		
<b>Reimbursable Expended Funds:</b>				
Manpower Salaries .....		5,917.90		
CETA Salaries .....		18,598.34		
Police (Outside Labor) .....		8,014.50		
Sewer Construction .....		30,950.00		
Police Trainee & Cadet .....		1,388.00		
Fire (Outside Labor) .....		576.00		
LHRA Road Construction .....		2,927.00		

**Liabilities Forward:**

New Construction — Highway .....	
Firearms — Police .....	



**Warrant Articles:**

Article 12-1973			
Sewer Engineering . . . . .	3,000.00	—	
Article 17-1975			
Sewer Facilities . . . . .	2,750.00	—	
Article 10-1976			
Fire Truck . . . . .	30,091.51	30,305.00	
Article 12-1976			
Town Census . . . . .	3,500.00	—	
Article 13-1976			
Tennis Courts . . . . .	19,003.82	18,809.08	
Article 29-1976			
South Road . . . . .	30,000.00	—	
New Road Construction			
Revenue Sharing . . . . .	24,953.67	24,853.67	

**Warrant Articles:**

Article 11-1977			
South Road Bridge . . . . .	59,000.00		
Article 12-1977			
Census . . . . .	3,500.00	—	
Article 14-1977			
Basketball Courts . . . . .	16,000.00	—	
Article 15-1977			
Town History . . . . .	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Article 17-1977			
Sewer Development . . . . .	950,000.00	—	
Article 18-1977			
Master Plan . . . . .	5,000.00	4,106.74	
Article 19-1977			
Soils Map . . . . .	3,500.00		—

Article 20-1977			
Fire Truck Loan .....	42,694.00	42,694.00	
Article 24-1977			
Land Purchase.....	<u>4,000.00</u>	<u>4,000.00</u>	
Total Town Budget .....	<u>\$2,560,724.14</u>	<u>\$1,713,520.35</u>	
Total School Payments.....		<u>2,852,939.80</u>	
Sub Total .....		<u>\$4,566,460.15</u>	
Liabilities Forward 12/31/77 .....		(25,229.75)	
Refunds recorded in receipts .....		5,696.04	
Void Checks Recorded in 1/78.....		<u>205.99</u>	
Total Selectmen's Orders.....		<u>\$4,547,132.43</u>	
Total 1978 Proposed Town Budget	\$1,679,356.12		\$1,628,197.99



TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Com. 1978 Proposed
Town Clerk.....	\$ 9,900.00	\$ 9,899.76	\$ 10,494.00	\$ 10,494.00
Deputy Town Clerk .....	—	—	6,879.60	6,879.60
Tax Collector .....	8,500.00	8,695.34	9,100.00	9,100.00
Selectmen's Secretary .....	8,500.00	8,571.44	9,100.00	9,100.00
Extra Office Help.....	11,840.00	11,100.74	2,862.00	2,862.00
Selectmen's Bookkeeping .....	6,500.00	6,000.00	10,880.00	10,880.00
Selectmen's Clerks.....	6,625.00	6,569.29	13,500.00	13,500.00
Treasurer .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Selectmen, Chairman .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
2 Selectmen at \$1,500.00 ea. ..	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Auditors, (3) .....	300.00	300.00	900.00	900.00
Administrative Assistant .....	—	—	5,500.00	5,500.00
Janitorial Services.....	—	—	3,000.00	3,000.00
Total Town Officers Salaries .....	\$ 58,165.00	\$ 57,136.57	\$ 78,215.60	\$ 78,215.60

BUILDING AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT

budget

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Com. 1978 Proposed
Chief Building Inspector & Health Officer .....	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 13,200.00	\$ 13,200.00
Assistant Building Inspector.....	—	—	5,000.00	5,000.00
Building Inspector and Health Officer Expenses.....	2,250.00	1,250.00	2,550.00	2,550.00
Building and Health Department Expenses .....	400.00	795.13	2,500.00	2,500.00
Total .....	\$ 14,650.00	\$ 15,045.13	\$ 23,250.00	\$ 23,250.00

# FIRE DEPARTMENT

## 1978 Budget

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Comm. 1978 Proposed
Chief .....	\$ 13,110.00	\$ 13,100.24	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
Officers .....	22,568.00	32,268.20	37,529.63	37,529.63
Firemen Wages .....	74,110.64	64,267.34	81,534.36	81,534.36
Holidays .....	2,671.20	1,616.56	3,462.40	3,462.40
Departmental Pension .....	8,153.34	8,109.05	9,970.66	9,970.66
Call Men .....	5,000.00	4,297.50	6,500.00	6,500.00
Electricity .....	1,500.00	1,508.36	1,500.00	1,500.00
Telephone .....	1,000.00	1,388.55	1,500.00	1,500.00
Heat .....	1,900.00	2,793.69	2,500.00	2,500.00
Vehicle Repair .....	1,500.00	2,321.02	2,500.00	2,500.00
Station Maintenance .....	1,000.00	870.03	1,000.00	1,000.00
Supplies & Equipment .....	4,000.00	3,357.56	6,000.00	6,000.00
Communications .....	700.00	1,277.32	2,700.00	2,700.00
Office Supplies .....	500.00	467.63	500.00	500.00
Training .....	200.00	326.55	500.00	500.00
Clothing Allowance .....	825.00	1,042.16	1,050.00	1,050.00
New Station				
Electricity & Heat .....			6,000.00	6,000.00
Total .....	<u>\$138,738.18</u>	<u>\$139,021.76</u>	<u>\$179,747.05</u>	<u>\$179,747.05</u>



HIGHWAY BUDGET

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Com. 1978 Proposed
<b>Winter Maintenance:</b>				
Snowplowing & Removing.....	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 56,830.94	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 60,000.00
Sanding.....	12,000.00	12,691.57	13,000.00	13,000.00
Salt .....	40,000.00	47,117.15	40,000.00	40,000.00
Application of Salt .....	25,000.00	12,782.22	20,000.00	13,000.00
Grader Maintenance & Repair .....	5,000.00	12,550.95	10,000.00	5,000.00
<b>Summer Maintenance:</b>				
Tarring Roads .....	38,000.00	18,050.38	38,000.00	20,000.00
Gravel .....	3,000.00	1,606.93	3,000.00	1,500.00
Mowing.....	3,000.00	1,696.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Culverts .....	4,000.00	4,765.10	6,000.00	6,000.00
Signs.....	1,500.00	1,299.27	1,500.00	1,500.00
Fences & Railings .....	750.00	479.41	500.00	500.00
Tree Work .....	2,500.00	340.61	2,500.00	500.00
Patching Tar Roads.....	4,000.00	3,554.33	6,000.00	6,000.00
Oil Dirt Roads .....	2,500.00	4,111.50	4,000.00	2,500.00
Road Agent .....	7,500.00	7,500.00	17,000.00	17,000.00
Road Agent Expenses .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Labor.....	33,000.00	33,851.22	56,530.00	52,000.00
Grader Operator.....	14,800.00	16,022.65		
New Construction .....	50,000.00	66,272.42	75,000.00	75,000.00
Town Garage & General Exp.....	6,000.00	5,947.56	6,000.00	6,000.00
Street Lights .....	11,000.00	9,277.78	13,000.00	13,000.00
New Equipment.....	—	—	14,600.00	14,600.00
TRA Funds.....	1,931.91	1,931.91	1,935.21	1,935.21
Truck Expense.....	3,500.00	8,694.71	10,000.00	10,000.00
Total Highway Department Budget	<u>\$330,981.91</u>	<u>\$329,374.61</u>	<u>\$402,565.21</u>	<u>\$363,035.21</u>

# POLICE DEPARTMENT 1978 Budget

	1977 Budget	1977 Expended	Selectmen 1978 Proposed	Budget Com. 1978 Proposed
Chief .....	\$ 15,094.00	\$ 14,822.94	\$ 16,157.00	\$16,157.00
Lieutenant .....	13,021.00	13,021.71	13,945.00	13,945.00
Agent .....	11,277.00	11,277.11	12,597.00	12,597.00
Sergeant (2) 77 (2) 78 .....	21,628.00	17,407.82	20,602.72	20,602.72
Corporals (3) 77 (3) 78 .....	28,045.00	27,893.80	32,570.28	32,570.28
Patrolmen (7) 77 (9) 78 .....	62,682.75	64,246.45	80,140.60	80,140.60
Secretary .....	7,990.00	7,859.84	8,840.00	8,840.00
Dispatcher Supervisor .....	—	—	7,800.00	7,800.00
Clerk/Dispatchers (4) .....	26,268.00	28,912.49	25,294.40	25,294.40
Crossing Guards (2) .....	2,646.00	2,602.95	3,000.00	3,000.00
Prosecutor .....	—	—	10,856.76	10,856.76
Special Officers & Overtime .....	7,000.00	7,513.89	14,500.00	14,500.00
Education Incentive .....	520.00	545.00	988.00	988.00
Clothing Allowance .....	2,800.00	3,466.10	7,500.00	7,500.00
Telephone .....	3,700.00	4,059.83	4,600.00	4,600.00
Radio Communication & Repair .....	1,800.00	2,803.70	2,500.00	2,500.00
Supplies .....	6,500.00	7,230.30	9,000.00	7,000.00
Alarm System .....	1,000.00	950.30	—	—
Generator .....	2,725.00	—	—	—
New Cruisers .....	18,000.00	17,946.62	25,100.00	25,073.87
Maintenance .....	7,000.00	8,289.80	8,000.00	8,000.00
Training .....	1,000.00	1,137.41	2,000.00	2,000.00
Retirement .....	12,035.00	12,067.89	18,415.00	18,415.00
Entrance Modification .....	—	—	1,500.00	—
Records Supervisor .....			7,595.00	—
Tape Monitoring Sytem .....		2,475.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Department Survey Report .....		677.62	2,300.00	2,300.00
Grants .....			2,000.00	—
Teletype .....			1,000.00	1,000.00
Radar .....			2,300.00	2,300.00
Record & Disp. Study .....			2,000.00	—
Total Police Budget .....	\$252,731.75	\$ 257,208.57	\$339,801.76	\$325,680.63

**Annual Reports**  
**of the**  
**Town Officers**  
**of the**  
**Town of Londonderry**  
**New Hampshire**

**Year Ended December 31, 1977**



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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

**1977**

### **Officials Elected by Ballot at the Biennial Elections**

#### **Two Year Terms**

##### **Moderator:**

ROBERT M. WEBBER III, Peabody Road, Londonderry

##### **District No. 3 Representatives to the General Court**

WILLIAM P. BOUCHER, Litchfield Road, Londonderry

PETER C. GASKILL, Mammoth Road, Londonderry

ROBERT H. DAY, Midridge Circle, Londonderry

##### **Senatorial District No. 14**

PHYLLIS M. KEENEY, Hudson

##### **Rockingham County Commissioners**

THOMAS PRENTICE, Chairman, Exeter — Office: Exeter

ERNEST BARKA, Vice Chairman, Derry, Office: East Broadway, Derry

JOHN C. DRISCOLL, Clerk, Portsmouth, Office: Portsmouth

##### **Supervisors of Checklist—Six Year Term**

###### **Term Expires 1978**

ALAN J. DAIGNEAULT, Overlook Avenue, Londonderry

###### **Term Expires 1980**

PETER P. FAY, 15 King Henry Drive, Londonderry

###### **Term Expires 1982**

CHARLENE E. ARCIDIACONO, 13 Apollo Road, Londonderry

### **Officials Elected by Ballot at Town Meeting**

#### **Three Year Terms**

##### **Board of Selectmen**

ROBERT A. EARLY, Forest Street

Term Expires 1978

DONALD BABIN, Litchfield Road

Term Expires 1979

NORMAN RUSSELL, Gilcreast Road

Term Expires 1980

##### **Town Clerk**

ALICE M. TAYLOR, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1980

##### **Tax Collector**

KERMIT L. SHEPARD, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Office Hours**

Monday-Friday — 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday Evenings — 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

### **Treasurer**

BETSY MCKINNEY, Litchfield Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Auditors**

GEORGE M. MOORE, JR., Hardy Road

Term Expires 1978

JOHN S. CALHOUN, Anderson Lane

Term Expires 1979

DAVID L. SMITH, Pillsbury Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Budget Committee**

ROY BOUCHARD, Buttrick Road

Term Expires 1978

DAVID VAUTIER, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1978

FREDERICK J. PICCO, Old Derry Rd.

Term Expires 1978

GAIL BLASIOUS, Kendall Pond Road

Term Expires 1978

SUSAN H. ANDERSON, King John Drive

Term Expires 1979

JACK E. SHULER, Litchfield Road

Term Expires 1979

JOHN E. WEBSTER, JR., High Range Road

Term Expires 1979

GERALD F. WELCH, McAllister Drive

Term Expires 1979

ROGER E. DYKSTRA, Timber Street

Term Expires 1980

DOUGLAS C. GARCIA, JR., Pleasant Drive

Term Expires 1980

BETSY MCKINNEY, Litchfield Road

Term Expires 1980

PATRINA R. NESMITH, Gilcreast Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Trust Officers**

MARY P. REED, Pillsbury Road

Term Expires 1978

RALPH F. DUTTON, Gilcreast Road

Term Expires 1979

THERESA K. SIMMONS, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Trustees of Leach Library**

MARILYN BOWEN, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1978

DOROTHY S. WEBBER, Peabody Row

Term Expires 1978

ROSEMARY WOODMAN, Cortland Street

Term Expires 1978

PAULA BABIN, Litchfield Road

Term Expires 1979

DIANN MACRAE, Mercury Drive

Term Expires 1979

BARBARA E. WINTER, Canterbury Lane

Term Expires 1979

MERLE ANDEM, Pillsbury Road

Term Expires 1980

MARION E. LANDRY, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1980

GAIL WEBSTER, High Range Road

Term Expires 1980

### **Librarian**

MARIE SANBORN, High Range Road

LEONE GAGE, Timber Street (Assistant)

### **Historian — Appointed by Board of Selectmen**

JESSIE BECKLEY, Mammoth Road



### **Road Agent**

RICHARD S. MOORE, Peabody Row

### **Civil Defense**

ROBERT H. DAY, Midridge Circle

### **Building Inspector—Health Officer**

RICHARD L. HODGMAN, Fieldstone Drive

### **Planning Board—Six Year Term**

JAMES HUME, King Richard Drive	Term Expires 1978
ALAN DAIGNEAULT, Overlook Ave.	Term Expires 1979
ROSS LANDRY, Mammoth Road	Term Expires 1980
JOSEPH FUNK, Chase Road	Term Expires 1981
PATRINA R. NESMITH, Secretary, Gilcreast Road	Term Expires 1982
MARCEL DEMERS, Chairman, Coteville Road	Term Expires 1983
Alternate—VIRGINIA HARDY, Litchfield Road	
Alternate—CLYDE ROBINSON, Melody Lane	
Alternate—JOSEPH WINGATE, High Range Road	
Selectmen Representative—DONALD BABIN, Litchfield Road	
Clerk—JOAN FOGARTY, Hardy Road	

### **Board of Adjustment**

ROBERT EVANS, Chairman, Mammoth Road	Term Expires 1978
JACK E. SHULER, Vice Chairman, Litchfield Road	Term Expires 1979
GORDON R. ARNOLD, Mammoth Road	Term Expires 1980
RICHARD A. COTE, Clerk, Tinkham Lane	Term Expires 1981
ALLAN SAULNIER, Litchfield Road	Term Expires 1982
Alternate—ROBERT COWIE, Gordon Drive	
Alternate—HARRY ANAGNOS, Rockingham Road	

## **POLICE DEPARTMENT**

### **Appointed by Board of Selectmen**

#### **Regular Officers**

Chief — FREDERICK L. BALL, Coteville Road  
Lieutenant — CHARLES WEBSTER, Rockingham Road  
Agent — DAVID RIST, Stonehenge Road  
Sergeant — KENNETH LYNCH, Seminole Place  
Corporal — MICHAEL ALDEN, Bartley Hill Road  
Corporal — RAYMOND BOWER, Alexander Road  
Corporal — WILLIAM BRADLEY, Seminole Place  
Patrolman — GREGORY AVAKIAN, Charlestown Street  
Patrolman — STEVE DOHERTY, Pembroke Street, Derry  
Patrolman — PAUL HILL, Granite Street  
Patrolman — STEVE TATHAM, Purdue Street, Manchester  
Patrolman — ED WASHBURN, JR., Beech Hill Drive, Manchester

Patrolman — JACK WELCH, Elwood Road  
 Crossing Guard — CLAIRE BALL, Coteville Road  
 Crossing Guard — DOROTHEA WEBSTER, Rockingham Road  
 Dispatcher — WILLIAM HARDY, Litchfield Road  
 Dispatcher — PATRICIA SWEEZEY, Maple Ave., Goffstown  
 Dispatcher — KATHRYN YOUNG, Londonderry Road  
 Secretary — JANET HOWARTH, Stonehenge Road

## **LONDONDERRY FIRE DEPARTMENT**

### **Firemen**

DAVID A. HICKS, Chief, High Range Road  
 RONALD ANSTEY, Hardy Road  
 STEVE BENTON, Sandstone Circle  
 ROBERT W. BONNER, Griffin Road  
 WAYNE COLMAN, Pine Street  
 ARTHUR J. EDMISTON, Mammoth Road  
 ROBERT MILLER, Pillsbury Road  
 LEWIS F. O'BRIEN, Kimball Road  
 ALAN J. SYPEK, Mammoth Road  
 DAVE SPAHN, Wiley Hill Road  
 LANNY E. VANdeBOGART, Deputy Chief, Pillsbury Road

### **Forest Fire Warden**

DAVID A. HICKS, Warden  
 RONALD ANSTEY, Deputy  
 ALAN J. SYPEK, Deputy  
 LANNY VANdeBOGART, Deputy

### **Recreation Commission**

DAVID RIST, Stonehenge Road	Term Expires 1979
SARA ANN HIGH, Apollo Road	Term Expires 1979
FREDERICK SIGRIST, Boulder Drive	Term Expires 1980
JOSEPH E. BLASIUS, JR., Kendall Pond Road	Term Expires 1980
Alternate—ORVIS BONNEY, Alexander Road	

### **Conservation Commission**

RODNEY MATTSON High Range Road	Term Expires 1978
PHILIP W. HULIT Nashua Road	Term Expires 1978
BRIAN HOWE High Range Road	Term Expires 1979
DANIEL HICKS High Range Road	Term Expires 1980
BARBARA THOMPSON Mammoth Road	Term Expires 1980

DIANN MACRAE, Chairman  
Mercury Drive

Term Expires 1980

**Londonderry Housing and Redevelopment Authority**

WILLIAM LIEVENS, Chairman  
Apple Tree Lane

Term Expires 1978

JOHN ANDERSON, King John Drive

Term Expires 1979

WILLIAM FOLEY, Twin Isles Road

Term Expires 1980

RICHARD IANNAcone, Acropolis Avenue

Term Expires 1981

JOHN FALVEY, Cortland Road

Term Expires 1982

**Staff:**

VIRGINIA HARDY, Office Manager, Litchfield Road

**Sewer Commissioners**

WILLIAM O. MERRILL, Mammoth Road

Term Expires 1978

ALLEN FOWLER, Cortland Street

Term Expires 1979

JOHN E. WEBSTER, High Range Road

Term Expires 1980

**REPRESENTATIVE TO GREATER MANCHESTER EMERGENCY  
MEDICAL SERVICES DISTRICT**

ROBERT H. DAY, Midridge Circle

**Wage and Salary Committee**

JAMES BUTLER, Kitt Lane

Term Expires 1978

CHESTER HAM, Vice Chairman, Peabody Row

Term Expires 1978

JOHN SHAUGHNESSY, Old Country Village Rd.

Term Expires 1978

PHILIP DALRYMPLE, Pillsbury Road

Term Expires 1979

CHARLES FOWLER, Chairman, Ela Avenue

Term Expires 1979

ARTHUR WOODMAN, Secretary, Devonshire Lane

Term Expires 1979

RICHARD COTE, Tinkham Lane

Term Expires 1980

JEANNE MANNING, Cortland Drive

Term Expires 1980

LAWRENCE PLUTNICKI, Spring Road

Term Expires 1980

**Mosquito Control Committee**

DR. WILLIAM WHITE, Beech Hill Drive

KAY LIEVENS, Apple Tree Lane

RICHARD HODGMAN, Fieldstone Drive

**Town Hall Study Committee — Appointed by Moderator**

ROSS LANDRY, Chairman, Mammoth Road

JOHN E. WEBSTER, JR., High Range Road

JOSEPH FUNK, Chase Road

REMI FORTIN, Mammoth Road

MARILYN HAM, Peabody Row

MARY ANN ROBINSON, Meadow Drive

DAVID DENNINGER, Buttrick Road



LISA WHITTEMORE, Old Nashua Road  
ANDREW MACK, Mammoth Road  
ROBERT READ, Devonshire Drive  
ROBERT A. EARLY, Chairman, Board of Selectmen, Forest Street  
SELECTMAN DONALD BABIN, Litchfield Road  
SELECTMAN NORMAN RUSSELL, Gilcreast Road  
BUILDING INSPECTOR, RICHARD HODGMAN, Fieldstone Drive

## LONDONDERRY ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 8, 1977

Annual Town Meeting, Town of Londonderry, County of Rockingham, State of New Hampshire, Tuesday, March 8, 1977, at the Matthew Thornton School. Moderator — Robert M. Webber, III.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00 A.M. and reading of the warrant began.

Mr. Russell: "I move to eliminate the reading of warrant." Seconded by F. Ball. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Russell: "I move that the election of Town Officers and action on Article #100 through Article #108 be by ballot with use of the checklists and that the polls for such balloting should open immediately and remain open until 7 o'clock this evening." Seconded by F. Ball.

Mr. Griffin moved to amend the motion to keep the polls open until 8:00 P.M. Seconded by K. Hobbs. Amendment defeated.

Original motion voted affirmative.

Ballot boxes checked and shown to be empty.

Polls opened at 7:05 A.M.

Polls closed at 7:05 P.M.

Mr. Russell moved to recess meeting to 7:00 P.M., Friday, March 11, 1977. Seconded by G. Moore. Voted affirmative.

Number regular ballots cast .....	1,344
Number absentee ballots cast .....	14
Total ballots cast .....	1,358

Received sealed ballots — March 8, 1977 at 10:25 P.M.

Article 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

**Town Clerk — Three years — Vote for one**

Alice M. Taylor	1,223*
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**Tax Collector — Three years — Vote for one**

Priscilla McCullough	602
Kermit L. Shepard	642*

**Selectman — Three years — Vote for one**

Jim Maguire	542
Norman Russell	742*

**Town Treasurer — Three years — Vote for one**

R. Elaine Gordon	268
Marcia L. Kirkpatrick	425
Betsy McKinney	471*

**Auditor — Three years — Vote for one**

David L. Smith (write-in) 19\*

**Trustee of Trust Funds — Three years — Vote for one**

Theresa K. Simmons 978\*

**Sewer Commissioner — Three years — Vote for one**

John E. Webster, Jr. 1,021\*

**Leach Library Trustees — Three years — Vote for three**

Merle E. Andem 907\*

Marion E. Landry 1,017\*

Gail K. Webster 1,015\*

**Budget Committee — Three years — Vote for four**

Roger E. Dykstra 752\*

Douglas C. Garcia, Jr. 647\*

Charles C. Jarboe 486

Betsy McKinney 821\*

Louis E. Milliner 505

Patrina R. Nesmith 653\*

**Budget Committee — One year — Vote for two**

Roy E. Bouchard 716\*

Joseph E. Funk 341

Roy E. Swanner 415

David Vautier 463\*

Article 100. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 100 as proposed by the Planning Board for the town zoning ordinance as follows? To delete our present sign ordinance and replace it with a more defined ordinance. (Proposed by the Londonderry Chamber of Commerce.)

Yes 927 No 347

Voted affirmative.

Article 101. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 101 as proposed by the Planning Board for the town zoning ordinance as follows? That all one acre residential lots contain a minimum of 75% suitable land with final grade slopes less than 25%, 30 min/in or less percolation rate, depth to bedrock at final grade is 2 feet or deeper, and depth to seasonal high groundwater is 1 foot or more? (Lots larger than one acre must contain 32,670 sq. ft. suitable land.)

Yes 831 No 432

Suspension of decision on Article 101 until the  
validity of petition verified.

(Petition received)

Article 102. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 102 as proposed by the Planning Board for the town zoning ordinance as follows? That no building, parking lot or drives can be constructed in an Industrial



District, within 200 feet of a Residential/Agricultural District until a buffer zone 50 feet wide consisting of coniferous trees, a minimum of 6 feet high is approved by the Planning Board and established.

Yes 1,018                      No 268

Affirmative vote.

Article 103. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 103 as proposed by the Planning Board for the town zoning ordinance as follows? To limit to 190 the residential building permits issued from Town Meeting March 1977 to Town Meeting March 1978. One and two lot subdivisions and previously approved subdivisions are exempt.

(Petition received)

Yes 875                      No 426

Affirmative vote.

Article 104. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 104 as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town? To add to the Commercial District Parcel 43 on Tax Map 1 on Mammoth Road belonging to Fred Griffin. The Planning Board disapproves this amendment.

Yes 306                      No 942

Negative vote.

Article 105. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 105 as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town? To add to the Commercial/Industrial District Parcel 100 on Map 15 owned by Arthur H. Bursey, Jr. The Planning Board disapproves this amendment.

Yes 218                      No 1,022

Negative vote.

Article 106. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 106 as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town? To add to the Commercial/Industrial District Parcel 51 on Map 15 on Perkins and Rockingham Roads owned by Arthur H. Bursey, Jr.

The Planning Board disapproves this amendment.

Yes 217                      No 1,026

Negative vote.

Article 107. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 107 as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town? To add to the Commercial/Industrial District Parcels 25 and 26 on Tax Map 17 owned by John Robert and Betty Jane Evans and Parcel 235 on Map 15 owned by Aime J. Huard. The Planning Board disapproves this amendment.

Yes 244                      No 995

Negative vote.

Article 108. Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 108 as proposed by petition of the voters for this Town? To add to the Commercial

District, Parcel 32 on Tax Map 6 owned by Rev. Irving S. and Carole Mae Jones.

The Planning Board approves this amendment.

Yes 689                      No 560  
Affirmative vote.

**LONDONDERRY ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
MINUTES ON ARTICLES ACTED UPON  
MARCH 11, 12, 1977**

**LONDONDERRY CENTRAL SCHOOL AUDITORIUM  
Londonderry, New Hampshire**

ROBERT M. WEBBER III, Moderator  
ANDREW C. MACK, Assistant Moderator  
NORMAN RUSSELL, Selectman  
ROBERT A. EARLY, Selectman  
DONALD BABIN, Selectman  
MRS. ALICE M. TAYLOR, Town Clerk  
CLAIRE L. LIBBY, Stenotype Reporter

**P R O C E E D I N G S**

Mr. Webber opened the meeting at 7:20 P.M.

Invocation given by Rev. Westervelt.

**Article 17.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$1,100,000.00, for the purpose of constructing sewerage and sewage treatment facilities which are requirements contained in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq) and will qualify the Town for Federal funds, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$1,100,000.00 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H.R.S.A. 33.1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests — of the Town of Londonderry, and to allow the Selectmen to expend such monies as become available from the Federal Government under the Financial Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.) and pass any vote relating thereto. Mr. Merrill: I move that Article 17 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Fowler. Discussion followed.

Mr. Merrill moved to amend Article 17 to read the sum of \$950,000.00 wherever the sum of \$1,100,000.00 appears in the Article. Mr. Fowler seconded. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Thibeault moved to vote on Article 17. Seconded by Norma Moore. Voted affirmative.

**Article 21.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$427,000, for the purpose of constructing a multi-purpose town office building and to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate a twenty year note in the sum of \$427,000.

Mr. Early moved to accept. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed.

Mrs. Nesmith moved to amend Article 21 to read: To form a design committee consisting of the three selectmen and six members appointed by the moderator to select a design or designs. The plan design to be established within thirty days of the adoption of this article. Seconded by Mr. Arnold. Discussion followed. Voted negatively.

Mr. Carter moved to amend Article 21 to restrict the building to a colonial design.

Mrs. Bouchard moved to amend to have a committee consisting of three selectmen and six people approved by the Moderator to come up with various designs within thirty days which will reflect the general style of the Leach Library and be within the amount of the proposed bond issue. decision of The Design Committee to be subject to approval at a public hearing within sixty days. Seconded by Mrs. Anagnos. Discussion followed.

Mrs. Bouchard withdrew her previous amendment and submitted the following Amendment to Article 21: To form a Design Committee consisting of the three Selectmen and six members appointed by the moderator to select a design or designs which will reflect the general character of the town. The decision of the Design Committee to be subject to approval at a public hearing within sixty days. Seconded by Norma Moore. Discussion followed. Gail Blasius moved the question. Seconded by Norma Moore. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Anagnos called for a point of order. Mrs. Anagnos had not withdrawn her second to Mrs. Bouchard's first proposed amendment.

The Moderator explained that the original amendment seconded by Mrs. Anagnos was to have the committee consisting of three Selectmen and six people appointed by the Moderator to come up with various town hall designs for a building. We then have a special meeting to approve a design and vote on funding. The funding was the thing that could create problems because you couldn't get a special meeting called. The Court would have to approve such a meeting called for the raising of funds. Discussion on the fact that the second to the first amendment was not withdrawn. Mr. Early moved the question. Seconded by Gail Blasius. Voted negative.

Mr. Thibeault moved the question on the Amendment to Article 21 which was to form a Design Committee consisting of the three Selectmen and six members appointed by the Moderator to select a design or designs which will reflect the general character of the town. The decision of the Design Committee to be subject to approval at a public hearing within sixty days. Seconded by Mr. Shea. Voted affirmative.

Thereupon, the polls were opened at 9:30 P.M. for voting on Article 21.



While the voting was taking place, the Moderator took up Article 2.

**Article 2.** To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. As set forth in Roman Numeral XV, XVI, XVII in the sum of \$1,380,420.14.

Mr. Russell moved that Article 2 in the sum of \$1,380,420.14 be approved. Seconded by Mr. Babin.

Mr. Ham, Chairman of the Budget Committee moved to amend the final figure reducing it by \$17,589.00 making a definite bottom line of the Town budget at \$1,362,831.14. Seconded by Mr. Webster. Discussion followed.

Mr. Ham stated that Town Officers Salaries, the second righthand column, there is a difference in the \$58,163.45 figure. They eliminated \$960.00 from expert office help. Mr. Ham withdrew the amendment and Mr. Webster withdrew his second.

Mr. Ham then stated that in Roman Numeral XX, Town Officers Salaries, there's three differences there, 4th line where it shows \$12,800, the Budget Committee would like to remove \$960; the line Auditors, they would like to remove \$600, for a total of \$300 remaining. On the bottom line where it says Administrative Assistant, they would like to remove that down to zero. Discussion followed. Mr. Ham then moved that \$960 be removed for Extra Office Help. Seconded by Betsy McKinney. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Ham moved that \$600 be removed from the total receipt of \$900 under the Selectmen's budget for auditors. That number will now go to \$300. Mr. Webster seconded. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Ham then moved that \$8,000 be removed from the Administrative Assistant. Mr. Sautier seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Mr. Kimball moved the question. Seconded by Mr. Anagnos. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Ham moved to reduce Town Office Expense by \$1,000, Roman Numeral XVI. Betsy McKinney seconded. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Ham then moved to add \$515 to the dog officer's salary. Mr. Shuler seconded. Discussion followed. Sue Anderson moved the question. Seconded by Mr. Shuler. Voted affirmatively. Voted affirmatively on raising the dog officer's salary by \$515.

Mr. Ham then stated that the planning board expense, the Budget Committee and the Selectmen have reached agreement. That difference no longer exists.

Mr. Ham moved that the Recreation Commission be reduced \$680. Mr. Welch seconded. Discussion followed. Mr. Hill moved the question. Susan Anderson seconded. Voted affirmative.

Mr. Ham moved that \$1,380 be added to the Leach Library Expense. Mr. Funk seconded. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Ham moved that the Police Department budget be cut to \$252,731.75. Betsy McKinney seconded. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative.

(The polls on Article 21 were now closed at 10:55 P.M.)

Mr. Early then moved that the budget of the Budget Committee of \$1,364,031.14 be accepted. Mr. Russell seconded. Discussion followed.

Mr. Early moved that the budget for the Building & Health Department be

reduced \$1200. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively on Article 2 as amended. \$1,362,831.14.

**Article 3.** To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Mr. Ham requested to move to Article 27 and then go back to 3. The Moderator pointed out that Mr. Ham's point is well taken. Article 27, which is the Municipal Budget Act also requires a ballot vote but we are not ready to go into that. Mr. Russell moved that Article 3 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 4.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell at Public Auction property acquired by the town through Tax Collector's Deeds. Mr. Babin moved that Article 4 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 5.** To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of Class V roads and to raise and set aside for said purposes the sum of \$1,931.91 and the State will contribute the sum of \$12,879.41. Mr. Russell moved to accept Article 5. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 6.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Cemetery Perpetual Care Trust Funds, with interest accrued in excess of that necessary for the particular lot, to be used for general cemetery upkeep. Mr. Russell moved to accept Article 6. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

The Moderator then announced the results of the election on Article 17: 111 negative votes; 403 affirmative votes; two blank; Total 516. On Article 21, 304 affirmative votes; 190 negative votes; Total 494. Article 17 is an affirmative vote and Article 21 is a negative vote.

Mr. Merrill on behalf of the Sewer Commission extended a vote of thanks. The Moderator then immediately moved to Article 27.

**Article 27.** To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law as provided by R.S.A. Chapter 32:1. If adopted the Budget Committee shall consist of twelve members at large to be elected by Town Meeting. One-third of the members at large shall hold office for a one year term, one-third of the members at large shall serve a two year term and one-third of the members at large shall serve a three year term and/or until their successors are elected and qualified. In addition to the above twelve members, there shall be one member of the School Board, chosen by the School Board and one member of the Board of Selectmen, chosen by the Board of Selectmen. No member of the School Board, Board of Selectmen or Town Manager shall serve as a member at large as provided by RSA Chapter 32:2. By Petition of the Budget Committee. Mr. Shuler then made a motion that Article 27 be accepted. Seconded by Betsy McKinney. Discussion followed. Mr. Early moved the question. Norma Moore seconded. Voted affirmatively. Article 27 then went for balloting.

The Moderator then moved to Article 7.



**Article 7.** To see if the Town will vote to accept \$300 from Rowland & Ferne Schmidtchen to be added to a School Trust Fund which they started in 1969. Mr. Fowler moved to accept Article 7. Seconded by Gail Blasius. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 8.** To see if the town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 the sum of \$18,000 for the purchase of four new Police Cruisers with trade in of three used Police Cruisers. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 8. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Mr. Ham stated that the Budget Commission was in favor of this article. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 9.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize withdrawal from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 the sum of \$50,000 for the purpose of new construction on Town Roads. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 9. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmative.

**Article 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$60,000 to employ the services of a Professional Appraisal Firm to revalue all of the Taxable Property in the Town of Londonderry. Mr. Babin moved to accept Article 10. Seconded by Mr. Early. Discussion followed. Voted negatively.

**Article 11.** To see if the Town will accept State Aid in the sum of \$37,000 and raise and set aside the sum of \$22,000 to be used for the construction of the South Road Bridge. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 11. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 12.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$3,500 for the purpose of taking a census of the Town. Mr. Russell moved to accept Article 12. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 13.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to construct one softball field on land owned by the Town and set aside for recreation purposes. The construction of the above to be subject to available federal funds, which would reduce the total cost of the project to \$5,000 for the Town of Londonderry. By request of Londonderry Parks and Recreation Commission. Mr. Sigrist moved that Article 13 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Bonney. Discussion followed. Mr. Ham said that the Budget Committee disapproved. Mr. Hill moved the question. Seconded by Carol Kelly. Voted negatively on Article 13.

**Article 14.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$16,000 to construct two basketball courts which can be utilized for winter skating on land owned by the Town and set aside for recreation purposes. The construction of the facility will be subject to available matching funds, which would reduce the total cost of the project to \$8,000 for the Town of



Londonderry. By request of the Londonderry Parks and Recreation Commission. Mr. Sigrist moved to accept Article 14. Seconded by Mr. Bonney. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

The Moderator announced that the polls were closed on Article 27 at 12:20 A.M.

**Article 15.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the purpose of completing the 3rd volume of the Londonderry Town History Book. Mr. Russell moved to accept Article 15. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 16.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, until directed to the contrary at a subsequent Town Meeting, to apply, negotiate and do all other things necessary to obtain such Federal, State, or other assistance as may be available for the construction of a sewage disposal system, and to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of said assistance as outlined in N.H. R.S.A. 33:7-b et seq., as amended, and pass any vote relating thereto. Mr. Babin moved to accept Article 16. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

(Article 17 was already voted on.)

**Article 18.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$5,000 for the purpose of preparing a Master Plan. A consultant will be chosen based on bid proposals. Mr. Babin moved to accept Article 18. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

The Moderator revealed that the ballot on Article 27 was yes, 65; no, 214. Total ballots - 279. Article 27 was defeated.

Mr. Russell made a motion that particular attention be paid to the Town Report because in the State of New Hampshire, they have a contest for the best Town Report and introduced the three ladies responsible for putting it together.

Mr. Russell made a motion to adjourn until 1:00 P.M., March 12, 1977. Norma Moore seconded. Voted affirmative.

(Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 12:35 A.M. March 12, 1977.)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1977, 1:00 P.M.  
Londonderry Central School**

The Moderator called the meeting to order.

**Article 19.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$3,500 for the purpose of updating the soils map of approximately 14,000 acres. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 19. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 20.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to retire a ten year loan negotiated in 1976 in the amount of \$53,194 for the purpose of purchasing a fire truck. Money to retire the loan to be taken from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds. Mr. Early moved to accept the article. Mr. Russell seconded. Mr. Newcombe moved to amend Article 20 from a ten year loan to a five year loan. Mr. Funk seconded. Voted affirmatively.

(Article 21 was acted upon yesterday and was defeated.)

**Article 22.** To see if the Town of Londonderry will vote to become a member of the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. The objectives of the Commission are to provide for and encourage regional planning analyses; promote a consensus on problems of regional concern; and assist with implementation of projects located within, and which extend beyond, the boundaries of member communities. The Commission has only such authority as conferred on it by RSA Chapter 36: Sections 45-53, of 1955, as amended, and will serve in an advisory capacity representing the interests of the local governing body. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint two representatives to the Commission from among those nominated by the Planning Board in accordance with State law. Mr. Babin moved that Article 22 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Early. Discussion followed. Voted negatively.

**Article 23.** To see if the Town of Londonderry will vote to appropriate the sum of \$3,638.25 as the Town's share for the operation of the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. These funds will be used for financing the staff, operating expenses, planning studies, technical assistance, and such other programs as may be authorized by the Commission. These funds may be used in conjunction with such other state and/or federal funds as may be available for planning purposes. Mr. Russell moved to table Article 23. Seconded by Mr. Early. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 24.** To see if the Town will authorize the Conservation Commission to purchase a parcel of land located on Kendall Pond Road and a triangular strip located at the intersection of Pillsbury and Hardy Roads for the sum of \$4,000. Money to be taken from Conservation Land Trust established for such purposes. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 24. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 25.** To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to make application for and to accept and to spend on behalf of the Town, any and all grants or other funds which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government and/or the State of New Hampshire. Mr. Russell moved that Article 25 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Early. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 26.** To see if the Town will prohibit the operation of massage parlors and other related business enterprises in the Town of Londonderry. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 26. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Mr. Steven Zimmerman moved to amend Article 26 to read: To see if the Town



will prohibit the operation of massage parlors in the Town of Londonderry. Mr. Webster seconded. Voted affirmatively on the amendment. Voted affirmative on Article 26 as amended.

(Article 27 was acted upon last night, and was defeated.)

**Article 28.** To see if the Town will authorize and empower the Selectmen to negotiate and form a binding lease relative to the use of the Firemen's Hall with the Firemen's Relief Association, Inc. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 28. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 29.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to exchange approximately 38 acres of Map 9, Parcel 11 for approximately 76 acres of Map 9, Parcel 12. The Board of Selectmen will determine that the parcel received is of equal or better quality than that which is exchanged. The purpose of the land swap is to facilitate the construction of an access road from High Range Road to Mammoth Road. Mr. Babin moved to accept Article 29. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 30.** To authorize the Board of Selectmen with the Planning Board to approve the relocation of that portion of Mountain Home Road that is Southwest of Parcel 13A on Tax Map 9 and leading in a Southwesterly direction to High Range Road. This is to facilitate traffic movement. Mr. Babin moved that Article 30 be accepted. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative.

**Article 31.** To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to close and make subject to gates and bars that portion of Meadow Drive which runs along the southern boundary of the Kendallwood Townhouse Condominium. Further, that the Selectmen be empowered and authorized to physically locate gates and bars in a form of an iron chain at the point where said Meadow Drive first abuts the property of the Kendallwood Townhouse Condominium. Requested by Petition of David Danielson, et al. Mr. Early moved to accept Article 31. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed.

Mrs. Nesmith made a motion to table the article. Seconded by Sue Lincoln. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 32.** By petition of Clement Mersier et al wish to express our desire to have as "Our Song" the adoption of the song "Londonderry, N.H." inspired by Marjorie Nisula of Historical Society of Londonderry, N.H. and written by Anne B. Currier of Londonderry, N.H. Mr. Russell moved to accept Article 32. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 33.** To see if the Town will adopt the provisions of R.S.A. 41:38 & 41:42 pertinent to the appointing of Deputy Tax Collector. Mr. Early moved to accept the article. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.



**Article 34.** To see if the Town will vote to discontinue and permanently close a portion of a former proposed road (Loan Street) between Foxglove Street and Weymouth Road. Mr. Gagne moved to accept the article. Seconded by Mr. Ayotte. Discussion followed. Mr. Thibeault made the motion to table the article. Seconded by Mr. Merrill. Voted affirmative to table.

**Article 35.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell that portion of Town property shown as Prop. Cont. on plan entitled "Camelot, A Subdivision in the Town of Londonderry, N.H. as drawn for James Matarozzo, April, 1967." Said property being 50 feet in width and 356.04 feet in length running between Parcels 44 and 45 on Tax Map 7. The selling price to be determined by the fair market value estimated by the Town Assessor. Mr. Russell moved to accept the article. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 36.** To see if the Town will approve a 4% increase in the Londonderry Wage & Salary schedule at all salary levels and in all personnel categories. Mr. Russell moved to accept the article. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 37.** To see if the Town will vote to amend The Dog Ordinance Section 8: Disposition of Unclaimed Dogs, as passed at the 1976 Town Meeting to read as follows: Any properly collared and tagged dog which has been impounded and has not been redeemed by the owner shall be turned over to the nearest Animal Rescue League provided that any such dog shall be held for at least ten days after impounding. In those cases where it is required that notice be given the owner, said ten days shall commence from the date the owner is notified. In the event the Animal Rescue League is unwilling or unable to accept custody of said dog, the dog shall be disposed of as directed by the Selectmen. Any uncollared, untagged dog whose owner cannot be identified shall be held for a minimum of ten days and after such time, if the owner cannot be determined, the dog shall be disposed of in the manner prescribed in the preceding paragraph. Mr. Babin moved to accept the article. Seconded by Mr. Russell. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

**Article 38.** To transact any other business that may legally come before this Meeting.

Mr. Griffin moved that the Board of Selectmen direct the Town Building Inspector to conduct an investigation, compile facts and publish a written report to the Board with a firm recommendation as to why or why not the present Town Offices and Police Station should be condemned as unfit and unsafe for these intended uses. This report should be submitted and published in 45 days from this date. Seconded by Mr. Welch. Mr. Chase moved the motion be tabled. Seconded by Mr. Funk. Voted negatively and the motion came back on the floor. Discussion followed. Voted affirmatively.

Yes 49

No 45

Mr. Webster made the motion to see if the Town will vote to establish a nine member Town Hall Building Committee to study the requirements and design of a Town Hall and present their recommendations at the March 1978 Town Meeting. Said committee to be appointed by the Moderator and shall consist of the three Selectmen, one member of the building trades, one member of the Historical Society, the Building Inspector and three members at large. Mrs. McKinney seconded. Discussion followed. Mr. Early moved to amend Article 38 to delete March 1978 Town Meeting and replace with April 16, 1977. Seconded by Mr. Webster. Discussion followed. Mr. Babin moved to change the article to read a minimum of nine or more people. Seconded by Mr. Fowler. Discussion followed. Voted affirmative. The motion was then voted on affirmatively.

The Moderator then asked if there was any new business under Article 38. Mr. Day proposed a resolution by the Town of Londonderry Town Meeting of March 11 and 12, 1977, that the Selectmen and the Town Moderator be directed to send to Mr. Earl Flansberg of Earl Flansberg Associates a letter thanking him for his efforts in behalf of the Town of Londonderry. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Russell moved that the Town Meeting be adjourned. Seconded by Mr. Babin. Voted affirmative.

(Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 3:45 P.M.)

Saturday, April 16, 1977, Londonderry Matthew Thornton School, at the close of the School Meeting.

The Meeting was called to order at 5:40 P.M. by Moderator, Robert M. Webber.

Mr. Early moved to accept the total budget of \$5,654,251.14. (Article #2 as amended \$1,362,831.14 plus the total school budget of \$4,291,420.00) Seconded by Mr. Anagnos. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Landry read the report for the Building Committee.

Mr. Webster moved to see if the town will vote to permit the presently appointed Town Hall Building Committee to serve until the next Town Meeting to further consider plans for a new town hall. Seconded by Mr. Landry. Voted affirmatively.

Mr. Webster moved to reconsider Article #21. (He also explained that he only wanted to reconsider the article to ask for \$4,000.00 to use to secure definite plans for a new town hall.) Seconded by Mr. Early. Negative vote.

Mr. Early read Mr. Hodgman's report.

Mr. Russell moved to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Mr. VanGrevenhof. Affirmative vote.

Meeting adjourned at 5:55 P.M.

The foregoing minutes were recorded in my presence by Claire L. Libby,

Stenotype Reporter and I certify them to be correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Alice M. Taylor, Town Clerk  
Londonderry, N.H.

24 Peabody Row  
Londonderry, New Hampshire 03053  
June 20, 1977

ALICE TAYLOR, Town Clerk  
Londonderry, New Hampshire 03053

Dear Alice:

On Article 101 at Londonderry Town Meeting on March 8, 1977, I ruled the vote was affirmative.

ROBERT M. WEBBER  
Town Moderator

#### **APRIL 16, 1977**

At the last Town Meeting, a motion was passed for the Moderator to appoint a committee including three sleectmen, building inspector, a member of the Historical Society and a representative of the building trade. Those appointed were: Mary Ann Robinson, Lisa Whittemore, Marilyn Ham, Remi Fortin, Jack Webster, Bob Reed, Joe Funk, Andy Mack, Dave Denninger, Ross Landry, Richard Hodgeman, Norman Russell, Robert Early and Donald Babin.

Robert Webber, the Town Moderator, met with the Committee at its first meeting on March 24, 1977. He explained that the townspeople, by a show of hands, had expressed a desire for a colonial type building. However, there were no funds available for an architect, but the committee was to present their recommendations at the April 16th Town Meeting.

The Committee has met four times in the last three weeks. Jack Webster contacted architect, William Mead of the W. M. Design Group of Center Harbor, N.H. Mr. Mead met with the Committee and agreed to produce a new design at no cost, as he had already done a study of the town needs. He later called to tell us that he had prior commitments and would not be able to do anything in such a short time.

Mr. Earl Flansburg of Flansburg Associates expressed a desire to meet with the Committee and was at our last meeting on Thursday evening, April 14.



The Selectmen informed us at our first meeting that there was now 100% funding available from the Economic Development Administration and that they had submitted new plans drawn for them by Earl Flansburg, at no cost. This, of course, meant that the Town would make no decision until the outcome of the application to E.D.A. was determined. This decision will be known some time in June.

It is therefore recommended that this committee be retained until the next Town Meeting to work with the Selectmen on plans for a new Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted:  
New Town Hall Committee

# STATEMENT OF LONG TERM NOTES DUE

December 31, 1977

## Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Long Term Notes

Original Date of Loan	Name of Bank	Reason for Loan	Original Amount	Mature Date	Balance of Yearly Payments	Balance Due
1966	Merchants National Bank Manchester, N.H.	Grenier Field Industrial Park	\$60,000.00 at 3%	1979	2 Yrs. at \$3,600	\$ 7,200.00
1972	Indian Head Bank Derry, N.H.	Leach Library	80,000.00 at 3.89%	1982	5 Yrs. at 8,000	40,000.00
1973	Arlington Trust Co. Lawrence, Mass.	Sewer Engineering	58,000.00 at 6.0%	1983	6 Yrs. at 5,800	34,800.00
1975	Indian Head Bank Derry, N.H.	Water & Sewer L.H.R.A.	50,000.00 at 5.9%	1985	8 Yrs. at 5,000	40,000.00
Total Amount Outstanding Long Term Notes						<u>\$122,000.00</u>

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

## Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1977

	Appropriations 1977	Receipts & Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expended	Overdraft	Underexpended
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Town Officers' Salaries .....	58,165.00		58,165.00	57,136.57		1,028.43
Town Office Expense .....	21,000.00	4,776.21	25,776.21	31,326.75	5,550.54	
Town Hall Expense .....	9,000.00		9,000.00	8,992.86		7.14
Election & Registrations .....	1,000.00	19.00	1,019.00	689.35		329.65
Selectmen's Expense .....	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00		
Maps & Appraisals .....	11,500.00	436.50	11,936.50	11,841.40		95.10
Social Security-B.C./B.S. ....	39,769.00		39,769.00	33,952.73		5,816.27
Blue Cross Reimbursement .....				(477.36)		477.36
Forest Fire Department .....	1,500.00	417.40	1,917.40	1,415.96		501.44
Insurance .....	25,500.00		25,500.00	34,692.24	9,192.24	
Dog Officer .....	11,300.00	8,723.25	20,023.25	11,017.76		
Professional Expenses .....	11,000.00		11,000.00	9,654.80		9,005.49
Conservation Commission .....	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		1,345.20
Planning Board Expense .....	15,400.00	11,999.97	27,399.97	14,907.86		12,492.11
Civil Defense .....	50.00		50.00	84.64	34.64	
Board of Adjustment .....	250.00	560.00	810.00	512.70		297.30
Recreation Commission .....	10,441.00		10,441.00	8,119.96		2,321.04
Ambulance Service .....	26,855.36	2,838.00	29,693.36	26,855.36		2,838.00
Visiting Nurse .....	6,300.00		6,300.00	6,300.00		
Town Dump .....	66,000.00		66,000.00	66,000.00		
Sewer Commission .....	9,000.00		9,000.00	1,195.06		7,804.94
Salary Commission .....	500.00		500.00			500.00
Leach Library Expense .....	35,617.54		35,617.54	28,738.65		
Town Poor .....	7,500.00	654.44	8,154.44	6,091.57		6,878.89
OAA-APTD .....	12,000.00	211.28	12,211.28	13,195.11	983.83	2,062.87
Memorial Day .....	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Old Home Day .....	500.00		500.00	719.75	219.75	
Town Common .....	500.00		500.00	332.50		167.50
Cemeteries .....	2,000.00	4,148.75	6,148.75	6,382.75	234.00	
Hydrant Rental .....	9,095.40		9,095.40	9,095.40		
Long Term Interest .....	11,750.00		11,750.00	12,292.77	542.77	
DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES:						
Highway Department .....	330,981.91	87,197.05	418,178.96	29,374.61		83,804.35
Police Department .....	252,731.75	38,367.51	291,099.26	257,208.57		33,890.69
Fire Department .....	138,738.18	934.00	139,672.18	139,021.76		650.42



Building & Health Department.....	14,650.00	30,209.00	44,859.00	15,045.13		29,813.87
Departmental Fuel.....	17,150.00	3,434.35	20,584.35	19,826.68		757.67
1977 BUDGET SUB TOTALS .....	1,162,445.14	194,926.71	1,357,371.85	1,166,243.89	16,757.77	207,885.73
PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS:						
Grenier Field Loan .....	3,600.00		3,600.00	3,600.00		
Library & Contents .....	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00		
Sewer Engineering .....	5,800.00		5,800.00	5,800.00		
LHRA Sewer & Water Lines .....	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00		
Fire Truck Loan .....	10,500.00		10,500.00	10,500.00		
TAXES BUDGETED:						
County Taxes.....	167,486.00		167,486.00	175,357.95	7,871.95	
PAYMENTS MADE NOT BUDGETED:						
Yield Taxes.....		4,157.21	4,157.21			4,157.21
Taxes Bought by Town .....				139,136.88	139,136.88	
Abatements & Refunds .....				5,741.40	5,741.40	
REIMBURSABLE FUNDS:						
C.E.T.A. Salaries .....		5,271.70	5,271.70	18,598.34	13,326.64	4,694.00
Manpower.....				5,917.90	5,917.90	
LHRA Road Construction.....		2,927.00	2,927.00	2,927.00		
Police (Outside Labor) .....		12,708.50	12,708.50	8,014.50		
Fire (Outside Labor) .....		576.00	576.00	576.00		
Sewer Construction .....		32,400.00	32,400.00	30,950.00		1,450.00
Police Trainee & Cadet .....		11,036.00	11,036.00	1,388.00		9,648.00
LIABILITIES FORWARD:						
New Construction Highway .....		24,853.67	24,853.67	24,853.67		
WARRANT ARTICLES:						
Sewer Engineering .....	3,000.00*		3,000.00			3,000.00
Sewer Facilities.....	2,750.00*		2,750.00			2,750.00
Fire Truck.....	30,091.51*		30,091.50	30,305.00	213.49	
Town Census.....	3,500.00*		3,500.00			3,500.00
Tennis Courts .....	19,003.32*	150.00	19,153.32	18,809.08		344.24
Bridge Construction 76 .....	30,000.00*		30,000.00			30,000.00
Bridge Construction 77 .....	42,000.00		42,000.00			42,000.00
Census .....	3,500.00		3,500.00			3,500.00
Basketball Courts .....	16,000.00		16,000.00			16,000.00
Town History .....	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		950,000.00
Sewer Construction .....	950,000.00		950,000.00			893.26
Master Plan .....	5,000.00		5,000.00	4,106.74		
Soils Map .....	3,500.00		3,500.00			3,500.00

Fire Truck.....	42,694.00		42,694.00		42,694.00
Land Purchase.....	4,000.00		4,000.00		4,000.00
	<u>\$2,518,869.97</u>	<u>\$ 289,006.79</u>	<u>\$2,807,876.76</u>	<u>\$1,713,520.35</u>	<u>\$ 188,966.03</u>
					<u>\$1,283,322.44</u>
Note #1					
Reconciliation of Selectmen's Orders					
Treasurer and Comparative Statement					
Liabilities forward 12/31/77					
	(25,229.75)				
Refunds recorded in receipts	5,696.04				
Void checks recorded in 1/78	205.99				
Net	<u>(19,327.72)</u>				
Difference between overdraft					
& underexpended					
					\$1,094,356.41
Londonderry School District	2,852,939.80				
Sub Total	<u>4,566,460.15</u>				
—Note #1	) 19,327.72)				
TOTAL SELECTMEN'S					
ORDERS					<u>\$4,547,132.43</u>

## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land — Improved & Unimproved	\$13,909,760
Buildings	57,875,090
Factory Buildings	11,859,770
Public Utilities, Gas & Electric	8,913,950
Mobile Homes	2,719,800
Boats	21,965
Total Value before Exemptions Allowed	\$95,300,335
Elderly Exemptions Allowed	614,500
Total Valuation on which Rate is Computed	\$94,685,835

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

### Land & Buildings

Town Hall, Lands & Buildings	\$ 24,000
Furniture & Equipment	11,800
Libraries, Land & Buildings	143,985
Furniture & Equipment	69,250
Police Department Equipment	18,000
Police Department Office Equipment	27,000
Fire Department Land & Buildings	60,000
Equipment	125,000
Highway Department Land & Buildings	60,000
Equipment	88,812
Parks, Commons & Playgrounds	85,000
Schools, Lands & Buildings	8,583,148
Equipment	776,852
Total	\$10,072,847

### LAND & BUILDINGS ACQUIRED THROUGH TAX COLLECTOR'S DEEDS

Derry-Londonderry Town Line (4-66)	\$ 1,600
Spring Road (13-96)	950
Jack's Bridge Road (18-2)	550
Off Old Derry Road (16-34)	600
Litchfield Road (11-15)	1,350
Off High Range Road (8-17 & 18)	2,550
Off Auburn Road (16-46)	1,150
Off Rockingham Road (16-4)	150



Rockingham Road (13-98)	650
Chase Road (1-68)	4,350
Boyd Road (3-179)	<u>450</u>
TOTAL	\$14,350

UNKNOWN LANDS

Clark Road (15-96-1)	\$ 1,300
Off Kelley Road (12-36)	1,650
Scobie Pond Road (13-112-1)	<u>950</u>
TOTAL	\$ 3,900

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**  
**JANUARY 1, 1977 — DECEMBER 31, 1977**

**DEBIT**

1977 Motor Vehicle Permits	<u>\$273,765.00</u>	\$273,765.00
1976 Dog Licenses	1,690.75	
1977 Dog Licenses	<u>7,012.50</u>	
		8,703.25
1977 Filing Fees	9.00	
Recount	<u>10.00</u>	
		19.00
Vital Records	<u>609.00</u>	
		609.00
Commercial Code Records	<u>1,716.00</u>	
		1,716.00
Building Permits	30,209.00	
Zoning Books, etc.	413.57	
Subdivisions	<u>11,586.40</u>	
		42,208.97
Tax Maps	<u>436.50</u>	
		436.50
Dump Stickers	<u>352.25</u>	
		352.25
Junk Yard Permit Applications	<u>125.00</u>	
		125.00
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>		<u><b>\$327,934.97</b></u>

**CREDIT**

<b>PAYMENTS TO TOWN TREASURER</b>	<u><b>\$327,934.97</b></u>	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>\$327,934.97</b>

Alice M. Taylor  
Town Clerk

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash:		
In Hands of Treasurer		\$ 797,758.53
Revenue Sharing		99,305.64
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1976	\$ 105,147.45	
Levy of 1975	6,512.68	
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		111,660.13
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1977		
Property Taxes	1,140,195.07	
Resident Taxes	10,180.00	
Yield Taxes	1,620.52	
Levy of 1976		
Resident Taxes	100.00	
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		1,152,095.59
Due from Other Sources:		
LHRA Payment	14,913.12	
State Bridge Aid	30,000.00	
Sewer Project Bond	950,000.00	
From Revenue Sharing	24,853.67	
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		1,019,766.79
Long Term Debt Outstanding:		
Grenier Field Loan	7,200.00	
Leach Library Loan	40,000.00	
Sewer Engineering Loan	34,800.00	
LHRA Sewer & Water Loan	40,000.00	
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		122,000.00
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TOTAL ASSETS		\$3,302,586.68

### Liabilities

South Road Bridge		
Article 29-1976; Article 11-1977	\$ 74,000.00	
Basketball Courts		
Article 14-1977	16,000.00	
Soils Maps		
Article 19-1977	3,500.00	
Sewer Project Bond	950,000.00	
1977 Bills Paid in 1978	25,229.75	
Revenue Sharing Owed General Fund	24,853.67	
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		\$1,093,583.42



Due School District:		
Balance 77-78 Appropriation		1,793,290.00
Unexpended Funds:		
Unencumbered Revenue Sharing		74,451.97
EPA Project Funds		24,750.00
Long Term Debt Outstanding:		
Grenier Field Loan	7,200.00	
Leach Library Loan	40,000.00	
Sewer Engineering Loan	34,800.00	
LHRA Sewer & Water Loan	40,000.00	
		<u>\$ 122,000.00</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$3,108,075.39
Excess of Surplus		194,511.29
Net Debt — Surplus December 31, 1976		83,757.98
Net Surplus — December 31, 1977		278,269.27

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**of the**  
**TOWN OF LONDONDERRY, N.H.**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1977**

**CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert A. Early, Chairman  
Donald Babin  
Norman Russell

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT  
TOWN OF LONDONDERRY**

**(For Current Year's Levy)**

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1977**

**— DR. —**

**Taxes Committed to Collector:**

Property Taxes	\$4,262,866.38	
Resident Taxes	63,160.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	34.75	
Total Warrants		\$4,326,061.13

<b>Yield Taxes</b>	5,602.56
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**Added Taxes:**

Property Taxes	\$ 8,365.02	
Resident Taxes	62.50	
		14,615.02

<b>Land Use Change Taxes</b>	.00
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**Overpayments During Year:**

a/c Property Taxes	\$ 1,975.92	
a/c Resident Taxes	30.00	
		2,005.92

<b>Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes</b>	99.85
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<b>Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes</b>	249.00
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<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<u>\$4,348,633.48</u>
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**— CR. —**

**Remittances to Treasurer:**

Property Taxes	\$3,116,204.84	
Resident Taxes	57,380.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	34.75	
Yield taxes	3,696.58	
Land Use Change taxes	.00	
Interest Collected	99.85	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	249.00	
		\$3,177,665.02

<b>Discounts Allowed</b>	.00
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**Abatements Made During Year:**

Property Taxes	\$ 16,807.41	
Resident Taxes	1,880.00	
Yield taxes	<u>285.46</u>	
		18,972.87

**Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1977:**

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$1,140,195.07	
Resident Taxes	10,180.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>1,620.52</u>	
		<u>1,151,995.59</u>

<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<u><u>\$4,348,633.48</u></u>
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**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1976**

— DR. —

**Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1977:**

Yield Taxes	\$ 329.55	
Property taxes	615,010.13	
Resident Taxes	<u>9,380.00</u>	
		\$ 624,719.68

**Added taxes:**

Property Taxes	\$ 23.75	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,380.00</u>	
		1,403.75

**Land Use Change Taxes**

.00

**Overpayments:**

a/c Property Taxes	\$ .00	
a/c Resident Taxes	<u>.00</u>	
		.00

<b>Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes</b>	19,867.10
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<b>Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes</b>	<u>819.00</u>
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<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<u><u>\$ 646,809.53</u></u>
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— CR. —

**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year  
Ended December 31, 1977:**

Property Taxes	\$ 605,816.82	
Resident Taxes	8,170.00	
Yield taxes	329.55	
Land use Change Taxes	.00	
Interest Collected During Year	19,867.10	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	819.00	
		\$ 635.002.47

**Abatements Made During Year:**

Property taxes	\$ 9,217.06	
Resident Taxes	2,490.00	
Yield taxes	.00	
		11,707.06

**Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1977:**  
(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$ .00	
Resident Taxes	100.00	
		100.00

**TOTAL CREDITS**

\$ 646,809.53

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1975**

— DR. —

**Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1977:**

Property Taxes	\$ 30,488.22	
Resident Taxes	131.08	
	\$ 30,619.30	

**Added Taxes:**

Property taxes	\$ .00	
Resident taxes	.00	
		.00

**Land Use Change Taxes**

.00

**Overpayments:**

a/c Property Taxes	\$ .00	
a/c Resident taxes	.00	
		.00

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	2,311.47	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	.00	
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>		<u>\$ 32,930.77</u>

— CR. —

**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year  
Ended December 31, 1977:**

Property Taxes	\$ 26,247.47	
Resident Taxes	.00	
Yield Taxes	131.08	
Land Use Change taxes	.00	
Interest Collected During Year	2,311.47	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	.00	
		<u>\$ 28,690.02</u>

**Abatements Made During Year:**

Property Taxes	\$ 4,240.75	
Resident taxes	.00	
Yield Taxes	.00	
		<u>4,240.75</u>

**Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1977:**  
(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$ .00	
Resident taxes	.00	
		<u>.00</u>

<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<u>\$ 32,930.77</u>
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**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS  
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977**

— DR. —

**Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:**

	1976	1975	1974	Previous Years
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes - January 1, 1977	\$ .00	\$30,488.22	\$14,263.55	\$ 1,470.61
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	140,136.88	.00	.00	.00



Interest Collected				
After Sale	1,010.16	2,319.90	2,578.44	298.19
Redemption Costs	.00	.00	.00	.00
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<u>\$141,147.04</u>	<u>\$32,808.12</u>	<u>\$16,841.99</u>	<u>\$ 1,768.80</u>

— CR. —

**Remittances to Treasurer  
During Year:**

Redemptions	\$ 33,376.35	\$19,835.68	\$10,825.05	\$ 839.49
Interest & Costs				
After Sale	1,010.16	2,319.90	2,578.44	298.19
<b>Abatements During Year</b>	1,613.08	4,139.86	748.61	273.25
<b>Deeded to Town</b>				
During Year	.00	.00	2,688.89	357.87
<b>Unredeemed Taxes —</b>				
December 31, 1977	105,147.45	6,512.68	.00	.00
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<u>\$141,147.04</u>	<u>\$32,808.12</u>	<u>\$16,841.99</u>	<u>\$ 1,768.80</u>

(a) **“Balance of Unredeemed Taxes — January 1, 1977:”**

Should include balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year — January 1, 1977 from Tax Sales of **Previous** Years.

(b) **“Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year:”**

Tax Sales held during fiscal year ending December 31, 1977, should include total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale.

**NOTE: TOTAL DEBITS AND TOTAL CREDITS** should agree.

Kermit L. Shepard  
Tax Collector

## TREASURER'S REPORT

1977

### Received from Tax Collector

1977 Property taxes	\$3,116,204.84	
1977 Interest	99.85	
1976 Property Taxes	604,716.82	
1976 Interest	19,867.10	
1977 Resident Taxes	57,380.00	
1977 Penalties	249.00	
1976 Resident Taxes	8,170.00	
1976 Penalties	819.00	
1976 Redeemed taxes	33,376.35	
1976 Interest	1,010.16	
1975 Redeemed Taxes	19,835.68	
1975 Interest	2,319.90	
1974 Redeemed Taxes	10,826.05	
1974 Interest	2,578.44	
1973 Redeemed taxes	839.49	
1973 Interest	298.19	
1977 Yield Taxes	3,696.58	
1976 Yield taxes	329.55	
1976 Interest	10.34	
1975 Yield Taxes	131.08	
1975 Interest	19.52	
National Bank Stock	34.75	
		3,882,812.69

### Received from Town Clerk

1977 Motor Vehicle Permits	\$ 273,765.00	
1977 Dog Licenses	7,012.50	
1976 Dog Licenses	1,690.75	
Filing Fees (recount)	19.00	
Vital Records	609.00	
Commercial Code	1,716.00	
Building Permits	30,209.00	
Zoning Books	413.57	
Subdivisions	11,586.40	
Resale of Tax Maps	436.50	
Dump Stickers	352.25	
Junk Yard Permits	125.00	
		327,934.97

**Received from State of New Hampshire**

Business Profits Tax	\$ 155,202.24	
Rooms and Meals tax	84,440.93	
Highway Subsidy	37,197.05	
Interest and Dividends Tax	21,420.70	
Bank Tax	8,964.66	
Police Grants	11,036.00	
Police Fuel	3,236.35	
Forest Fires	417.40	
Fire Department Fuel	198.00	
OAA	78.56	
Aid to the Disabled	<u>132.72</u>	
		322,324.61

**Received from Police Department**

Outside Work Details	\$ 13,284.50	
Rockingham County Grants	16,324.76	
Insurance Claims	3,250.00	
Report Copies	731.75	
Damage to Cruiser Refund	53.00	
Sale of Patches	<u>8.00</u>	
		33,652.01

**Received from Fire Department**

Circus	\$ 624.00	
Insurance Report	10.00	
Answering Service	<u>300.00</u>	
		934.00

**Received from United States Government**

Revenue Sharing Trust	\$ 121,194.00	
Environmental Protection Agency	32,400.00	
Anti Recession Funds	<u>2,358.00</u>	
		155,952.00

**Received from Trustees of Trust Funds**

Zoe Ann Flanders Fund (welfare)	\$ 427.44	
Care of Cemeteries	<u>4,148.75</u>	
		4,576.19

**Received from Other Sources**

Selectman		
Pistol Permits	\$ 324.00	
Town poor (reimbursements)	227.00	
Miscellaneous	<u>517.94</u>	



Copies	93.00	
Sale of Tax Lien Property	7,517.63	
Sale of Jeep	503.67	
Conservation Commission	4,000.00	
Board of Adjustment	560.00	
Derry Fire Department (ambulance fees)	2,838.00	
Bids (tennis courts)	150.00	
Refunds Overpaid Bills	5,696.04	
CETA	5,271.70	
Londonderry Housing Authority	2,927.00	
Timber Deposits	375.60	
Dog Fines	20.00	
Sale of Town Seals and Plans	35.00	
		31,056.58

#### Received from Loans and Interest

Short Term Loans	\$2,445,544.25	
Prepaid Interest	54,455.75	
Total Loans	\$2,500,000.00	
Interest Earned on Loans	58,732.88	
Interest Earned on Savings	3,286.08	
Interest Earned on CD's	3,333.33	
		2,510,896.54
Total Receipts for 1977		\$7,270,139.59

Balance January 1, 1977	\$ 574,751.37
Gross Receipts	7,270,139.59
Less — Selectmen's Orders	(4,547,132.43)
Payment of Loans	(2,500,000.00)
Balance December 31, 1977	\$ 797,758.53

#### Summary Breakdown of Balance

Checking Account — Londonderry Bank & Trust	\$ 177,464.46
— Arlington Trust Co.	239.32
Savings Account — Indian Head National Bank	4,476.71
Londonderry Bank & Trust	383.46
Merchants Savings Bank	215,194.58
CD #C269 Indian Head National Bank 6.60%	200,000.00
CD #C270 Indian Head National Bank 6.65%	200,000.00
	\$ 797,758.53

### Summary of Revenue Sharing Trust

Balance January 1, 1977		\$ 127,767.00
Received in 1977 (4 payments)		85,792.00
Interest Earned		<u>6,940.64</u>
Total		\$ 220,499.64
Less authorized payments:		
Article #8	\$18,000	
Article #9	50,000	
Article #20	<u>53,194</u>	<u>(121,194.00)</u>
Balance December 31, 1977		<u>\$ 99,305.64 *</u>
Merchants Savings Bank 90 day Notice		
* Prior year encumbrance of \$24,853.67.		

### Conservation Commission Account

Balance January 1, 1977	\$ 6,405.80
Interest Earned	318.32
Deposit, balance of 1977 appropriation	825.00
Less, withdrawn for authorized land purchase	<u>(4,000.00)</u>
Balance December 31, 1977	<u>\$ 3,549.12</u>

### Analysis of Short Term Loan

Borrowed from Arlington Trust Co.	\$2,000,000.00	
Borrowed from Indian Head National Bank	<u>500,000.00</u>	
		\$2,500,000.00
Less Interest, prepaid		<u>54,455.75</u>
Available for use		<u>\$2,445,544.25</u>

### Analysis of Interest

Interest earned on investments	\$ 58,732.88	
Less: Interest, prepaid	(54,455.75)	
Additional interest, extension	<u>( 2,189.37)</u>	
Net Interest earned on loan		\$ 2,087.76
Interest earned on other funds		<u>6,619.41</u>
Total Interest Income		<u>\$ 8,707.17</u>

Betsy McKinney  
Treasurer

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

<b>Town Clerk</b>		
Alice Taylor		\$ 9,899.76
<b>Tax Collector</b>		
Elizabeth Cross		1,894.97
Kermit Shepard		6,800.37
<b>Selectmen's Secretary</b>		
Carole Doyon		8,571.44
<b>Extra Office Help</b>		
Shirley Anstey		3,970.32
Grace Dow		1,250.62
Joan Fogarty		963.80
Pam O'Brien		492.00
Elaine Rendo		4,424.00
<b>Selectmen's Clerk</b>		
Priscilla McCullough		6,569.29
<b>Treasurer</b>		
Betsy McKinney		750.00
Fern Schmidtchen		250.00
<b>Selectmen, Chairman</b>		
Robert Early		1,500.00
Norman Russell		500.00
<b>Selectmen</b>		
Donald Babin		1,500.00
Robert Early		375.00
Norman Russell		1,125.00
<b>Auditors</b>		
John Calhoun		100.00
George Moore		100.00
Kenneth Young		100.00

### CETA PROGRAM SALARIES

CETA — Town	\$ 9,093.60
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### SELECTMEN'S BOOKKEEPING

Owen Walton	\$ 6,000.00
Total	\$ 6,000.00

### TOWN OFFICE EXPENSE

Kent Allen	\$ 72.00
Shirley Anstey	5.00



Arlington Trust Company	2,853.99
Backman Florists	7.98
The Balsams	25.00
Barlows Flower Shop	18.00
Belmont Springs Water Co., Inc.	394.20
Dennis Boggis	160.91
Branham Publishing	18.40
Bridge & Byron	173.00
Bridge & Byron	5,463.00
Brown Saltmarsh	302.98
Bruce Refrig. Services	26.00
Burroughs	45.55
D/U Company	84.90
Robert Day	405.86
Keyes Davis	224.01
Derry News	59.90
Equity Publishing	50.00
Fagerbergs Typewriter Co.	30.00
First Lumber	8.10
R.C. Foss	(210.00)
N.H. Municipal Association	1,376.26
Gaylord Bros.	5.20
Grinnell & Bureau	25.00
Granite State Office Supply	10.34
Aries Graphics	37.50
Hanks Garage	37.60
Harris Trophies	7.31
Ed Hatch	220.04
Dave Hicks	21.47
Edith Holland, Registry of Deeds	468.64
IBM Corp.	316.38
International Data Systems	177.66
J.P. Corporation	31.25
K. Mart	7.29
Carole Kelly	75.05
Richard Kelly	3.00
George Krauzer Paper Co.	202.35
Lawrence Eagle Tribune	27.50
Lyle Printing	44.49
Mafco Electronic	137.92
Manchester Water Works	23.88
Manchester Union Leader	10.30
Priscella McCullough	153.81
Municipal Association	11.50
A. Nault & Son	40.90
Nashua Corporation	25.75
Nashua Telegraph	12.35
New England Telephone	2,790.51

N.H. City & Town	20.00
NHMA	22.00
N.H. Medical Supply	73.50
N.H. Treasurer/Department of Revenue	33.00
N.H. Tax Collection Association	15.00
Paycheck	1,685.40
Petty Cash	367.70
Portsmouth Paper	132.00
Public Service	283.30
Tom Ray Office	880.19
Elaine Rendo	5.00
Reynolds & Reynolds	218.34
Ernest Robin	400.04
James Sewall Co.	114.00
Kermit Sheppard	372.80
Spaulding Printing	14.40
Louis St. Cyr	3.90
State of New Hampshire	1.00
Alice Taylor	106.94
Davis Benoit Tessier	5,898.73
Three M	40.69
Town of Londonderry	168.40
TRW	188.45
U.S. Postmaster	2,572.40
Wentworth by the Sea	20.00
Woolworth	20.79
Xerox	1,120.70
General Expense	28.05
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	\$31,326.75

#### TOWN HALL EXPENSE

Kent Allen	\$ 54.00
David Anstey	15.00
John Beeman	13.72
Belmont Springs Water Co., Inc.	15.50
Benson Hardware	16.60
Bruce Refrig.	25.50
Central Paper	27.78
Derry Glass Co.	89.30
Duston Oil	66.30
Arthur Edminston	45.00
First Lumber	419.73
Johnsons Window Fashions	25.45
George Krauzer Paper Co.	63.90
Lafayette Oil	1,674.91
Londonderry Housing and Redevelopment	1.00
Londonderry Sanitation	214.00

Lumbertown	144.88
Manchester Gas Co.	100.00
Manchester Water	126.23
Robert Miller	75.00
New Hampshire Supply	154.53
Nutfield Plumbing	148.40
Lewis O'Brien	27.00
G.H. Philbush	122.50
Public Service	2,453.97
Riverside Millwork	140.00
Rene Robillard	87.00
Louis St. Cyr	1,502.00
Robert Stanley	90.00
Wallboard Supply	53.66
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	\$ 8,992.86

### **ELECTION & REGISTRATION**

Charlene Arcidiacono	\$ 96.00
Ballot Clerks & Counters	282.50
Bridge & Byron	26.50
Allan Daigneault	105.95
Derry News	70.40
Peter Fay	108.00
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Total	\$ 689.35

### **SELECTMEN'S EXPENSE**

Robert Early	\$ 1,000.00
Norman Russell	1,000.00
Donald Babin	1,000.00

### **BUILDING INSPECTOR**

Richard Hodgman	\$12,000.00
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### **BUILDING INSPECTOR EXPENSES**

Richard Hodgman	\$ 2,250.00
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### **BUILDING AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT EXPENSE**

American Society	\$ 25.00
Bow International	168.00
Richard Hodgman	64.32
New England Telephone	429.05
Glen Paradis	19.26
Petty Cash	25.00
Postmaster	13.00
2 Way Communications	51.50
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	\$ 795.13



### MAPS & APPRAISALS

Raymond Daigle	\$10,245.00
James Sewall Company	<u>1,596.40</u>
Total	\$11,841.40

### SOCIAL SECURITY-BC/BS

BC BS	\$21,498.47
FICA	<u>12,414.54</u>
Treasurer State of N.H.	<u>39.72</u>
Total	\$33,952.73

### FOREST FIRE DEPT.

Conway Assoc.	\$ 504.95
David Hicks	<u>904.19</u>
Treasurer, State of N.H.	<u>6.82</u>
Total	\$ 1,415.96

### INSURANCE

American Bankers	\$ 2,624.84
Concord General Mutual	<u>44.00</u>
Chase & Durand Associates	<u>29,239.40</u>
Gordon Burns Agency	<u>2,784.00</u>
Total	\$34,692.24

### DOG OFFICER

Anwelt Corporation	\$ 27.97
Banner Auto	<u>75.00</u>
Bensons Hardware	<u>21.93</u>
Bradlees	<u>49.99</u>
Bud's Shell	<u>14.00</u>
Chase's Exxon	<u>123.00</u>
Car Go	<u>25.38</u>
Derry Feed & Supply	<u>36.74</u>
Leo Dube	<u>15.00</u>
Governor Carver Motor Inn	<u>44.00</u>
N.E.F.H.S.	<u>20.00</u>
Peppins Garage	<u>24.95</u>
Richard Potter — supplies	<u>21.77</u>
Richard Potter	<u>8,200.00</u>
Tom Ray Office	<u>22.30</u>
Stratham Tire	<u>26.54</u>
Town of Hudson	<u>2,035.00</u>
Charles Webster	<u>100.00</u>
Will's Auto	<u>50.81</u>
Windham Animal Hospital	<u>47.50</u>

Woolco	35.88
	<u>\$11,017.76</u>

### PROFESSIONAL EXPENSES

Davis, Benoit & Tessier, Inc.	\$ 5,408.30
Grinnell & Bureau	4,161.50
Scammon Gage & Whet	<u>85.00</u>
Total	\$ 9,654.80

### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Raymond Daigle	\$ 550.00
Londonderry Conservation Commission	825.00
N.H. Association of Conservation Commission	<u>125.00</u>
Total	\$ 1,500.00

### PLANNING BOARD

ASPO	\$ 12.00
Bldg. Officials & Code Adm.	100.00
Davis Benoit & Tessier, Inc.	7,719.75
Bridge and Byron	644.33
Derry News	290.30
Joan Fogarty	5,267.72
Virginia Hardy	5.00
Edith Holland, Register of Deeds	186.79
IBM	8.91
Lowell Stationery	112.00
Nesmith Patrina	10.00
New England Telephone	359.59
Petty Cash	10.83
Tom Ray Office Supplies Inc.	25.44
James Sewall Co.	9.07
Union Leader	6.15
U.S. Postmaster	<u>140.00</u>
Total	\$14,907.86

### CIVIL DEFENSE

Public Service	\$ 84.64
Total	<u>\$ 84.64</u>

### BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Accurate Printing	\$ 90.00
Derry News	289.10
Priscilla McCullough	1.05
Union Leader	<u>132.55</u>
Total	\$ 512.70

## RECREATION COMMISSION

Davis Benoit and Tessier	\$ 1,000.00
Joseph Blasius	2.00
Bi-Rite	472.95
Don's Sport Center	593.25
Dwight Damon	100.00
Friends of the Library	32.50
GPE Cleaners	83.00
Beverly Gorman	150.00
Ed Hatch Printer	414.00
Hammar Hardware	34.48
Indian Head Athletic	194.25
Sarah High	7.86
Lawrence Kelleher	133.35
Lawrence Eagle	14.00
Londonderry Explorers	350.00
Mickeys Sport Shop	188.15
National Recreation & Parks	100.00
Nashua Telegraph	175.95
N.H. Junior Miss	75.00
NHRPS	25.00
Penny Fence	182.00
Public Service	125.65
David Rist	120.00
Scott Trophies	125.40
Bernie Scuer, President	15.72
Shamrock Cleaners	23.20
Fred Sigrist	52.00
Timberlane Transportation	295.00
UNH	246.91
Union Leader	11.34
Wages	<u>2,777.00</u>
Total	\$ 8,119.96

## AMBULANCE SERVICE

Derry Fire Dept.	<u>\$26,855.36</u>
Total	\$26,855.36

## DERRY VISITING NURSES ASSOCIATION

Visiting Nurse	\$ 6,300.00
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## TOWN DUMP

Derry Sand & Gravel	<u>\$66,000.00</u>
Total	\$66,000.00



### SEWER COMMISSION

Derry News	\$ 39.60
William Merrill	69.16
State of N.H.	3.80
Hoyle Tanner & Associates	555.00
Union Leader	520.20
J. Webster	7.30
Total	<u>\$ 1,195.06</u>

### LEACH LIBRARY

Kent Allen	\$ 111.00
Auclair Transportation	29.71
Block & Co.	141.60
Library Wages	15,124.61
Londonderry Trustees	9,600.00
N.E. Telephone	283.18
Public Service	2,510.60
Trustee Library	788.00
Woody's Putt-Putt	149.95
Total	<u>\$28,738.65</u>

### TOWN POOR

Welfare Payments	Total \$ 6,091.57
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### OAA — APTD

Treasurer, State of N.H.	\$11,451.28
N.H. Dept. of Health	1,743.83
Total	<u>\$13,195.11</u>

### MEMORIAL DAY

Parmenter Harrington Post No. 27	\$ 200.00
Total	<u>\$ 200.00</u>

### OLD HOME DAY

39th Army Band	\$ 529.00
Triangle Toilet	70.00
Trophies Unlimited	60.75
Dan Vale	60.00
Total	<u>\$ 719.75</u>

### TOWN COMMON

Kent Allen	\$ 307.50
A. H. St. Clair	25.00
Total	<u>\$ 332.50</u>

### CEMETERIES

Kent Allen	\$ 5,729.50
Moore Trucking	84.50
Mary Reed	18.75
Theresa Simmons	550.00
Total	<u>\$ 6,382.75</u>

### HYDRANT RENTAL

Manchester Water Works	\$ 9,095.40
Total	<u>\$ 9,095.40</u>

### LONG TERM INTEREST

Arlington Trust Company	\$ 2,436.00
Indian Head Bank	7,397.40
Merchants National Bank	270.00
Total	<u>\$10,103.40</u>

### ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS

Herbert Alessi	\$ 18.00
Nita Anderson	13.00
Deborah Batten	26.00
Genevieve Berna	238.88
Emile Bilodeau	222.95
Robert Boehm	100.00
John Brent	10.00
Doreen Campbell	20.00
Susan Carlaw	10.00
Ernest Cochran	9.00
Anne Currier	313.95
Eugene Daly	3.00
Virginia Donders	10.00
Joseph De Carlo	22.75
Robert De Varney	2.00
Clifford De Wolfe	193.06
Robert Donders	10.00
Wayne DiMarzio	12.00
Susan Friedrich	11.00
Thaddeus Florczak	31.00
Birah Gideon	2.00
Gillis Raymond	2.00
Isabel Griffin	313.04
Paul Hamblett	38.78
Patricia Hannon	8.50
Bernard Holm	28.50
Robert Hunt	13.00
Karen Iodice	8.00

Graham Jones	287.49
Russell Jones	6.00
Theresa Kane	3.00
Joseph Konrad	20.00
Key Construction Corp.	14.00
John King	368.55
Evelyn Knowlson	7.00
Maurice Lemieux	7.00
Debra Leninger	3.00
Londonderry Grange	406.13
Gordon Long	4.00
Manchester Children's Home	224.77
Helen McEwen	10.00
Nancy McQuire	9.00
Moore's Trucking	43.50
Randell Moquin	6.00
Robert Morrell	3.00
Edward Murray	68.00
Neal Nevin	92.00
Francis Pimley	7.00
Josephine Powers	470.42
Rick Raminsky	5.00
Curtis Ross	6.00
Tom Sawyer	9.50
Leo Seelig	35.96
Silver Bros. Co., Inc.	9.50
John Slavin	1,498.20
Jeffery Smith	2.00
Shannon Stowell	30.00
Samuel Tamposi	111.97
Warren Transport Co.	199.50
Phillip White	50.00
Betty Whitney	2.50
Woodmont Orchards, Inc.	5.00
Freeman Wright	6.00
Mary Young	20.00
Total	<u>\$ 5,741.40</u>

#### REIMBURSABLE FUNDS

Manpower	\$ 5,917.90
Police (outside labor)	8,014.50
Fire (outside labor)	576.00
Summer Cadets and Training	1,388.00
Total	<u>\$15,896.40</u>

#### TENNIS COURTS

Derry News	\$ 30.80
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Lawrence Tribune	215.25
Nashua Telegraph	85.20
Tate Brothers	17,972.00
Union Leader	505.83
Total	<u>\$18,809.08</u>

**TOWN HISTORY**

Town History	\$ 1,000.00
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**SEWER CONSTRUCTION**

Hoyle Tanner Associates	\$30,950.00
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**MASTER PLAN**

Boston Globe	\$ 135.00
Harry Poole	3,750.00
Hoyle Tanner Assoc.	150.00
Union Leader Corp.	71.74
Total	<u>\$ 4,106.74</u>

**FIRE TRUCK**

Howe Fire Apparatus	\$29,500.00
Howe Fire Apparatus	805.00
Total	<u>\$30,305.00</u>

**LAND PURCHASE**

James Matarozzo	\$ 4,000.00
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**ROAD AGENT**

Richard Moore	\$ 7,500.00
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**CETA PROGRAM**

CETA — Highway	\$ 4,009.00
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**GRADER OPERATOR**

Robert Ross	\$16,022.65
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**LABOR**

Wages paid	\$33,851.22
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**ROAD AGENT EXPENSES**

Richard Moore	\$ 2,000.00
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**SNOWPLOWING & REMOVAL**

Armand's Garage	\$ 326.38
Carter & Son	3,681.25

T. J. Feinauer	214.50
Gordon Homes	789.75
Grey Construction	3,174.75
R. C. Hazelton	215.26
Holmes Transportation	46.14
J. M. Building	8,695.91
Jordan Milton	661.62
Al Lee	41.16
Armand Messier	980.50
Louis Page Inc.	1,430.00
Moores Trucking	6,986.70
N.H. Welding	35.30
Roads Safety	1,725.60
Sanel	1,429.74
Scott Concrete	2,295.50
Spaulding Trucking	2,083.75
Steel Industrial	1,770.80
Trans Global Steel	1,007.45
Total	<u>\$55,877.36</u>

Gordon Homes	789.75
Armand Messier	980.50
Donovan Spring	26.82
Lee Welding	30.00
Grand Total	<u>\$56,830.94</u>

#### **SANDING**

Tim Feinauer	\$ 63.07
J. M. Building	225.00
Charles McQuestion	185.20
Moores Trucking	10,212.50
Primary Supply	985.80
Spaulding Trucking	1,020.00
Total	<u>\$12,691.57</u>

#### **SALT**

International Salt	\$34,997.04
Granite State Mineral	11,881.91
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	238.20
Total	<u>\$47,117.15</u>

#### **APPLICATION OF SALT**

Donovan Spring	\$ 61.35
J M Building	4,122.00
Moore's Trucking	7,508.00
Sanel Auto Parts	182.87
Spaulding Trucking	908.00
Total	<u>\$12,782.22</u>

## GRADER MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

Ermand's Garage	\$ 394.91
B. Chain	106.90
John Beeman	8.48
enson's Hardware	17.04
hadwick BaRoss Inc.	3,517.89
erry Auto	13.40
. C. Hazelton	222.01
M. Building & Development	14.86
l Lee	234.10
ee Industrial	126.40
ondonderry Salvage	6.00
umbertown	5.38
ew Hampshire Welding	59.68
oyes Tire	550.20
enn Hampshire	570.60
anel Auto Parts	318.29
ohn Shaw	78.99
rans Global	6,305.82
Total	<u>\$12,550.95</u>

## TARRING ROADS

ucharme Sand & Gravel	\$ 2,071.59
umbertown	1.13
. C. Hazelton	26.66
has. Mc. Question	274.00
loore's Trucking	2,077.00
.H. Explosives	600.00
ate Bros.	13,000.00
Total	<u>\$18,050.38</u>

## GRAVEL

erry Sand & Gravel	\$ 49.00
ucharme Sand & Gravel	659.63
roperties Inc.	559.40
ublic Service	338.90
Total	<u>\$ 1,606.93</u>

## MOWING

heo Mansfield	<u>\$ 1,696.00</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,696.00</u>

## FENCES & RAILINGS

enny Fence	\$ 49.00
ames Lamey	10.80



Al Lee Co.	127.61
Lee's Welding	16.00
Moore's Trucking	276.00
Total	<u>\$ 479.41</u>

### SIGNS

Aries Graphics	\$ 37.50
Benson Hardware	186.17
First Lumber & Supply Co.	3.25
Lamont Labs	108.00
Lee's Welding	29.05
Merrimack Farmers	15.12
Louis E. Page	173.46
Lumbertown	38.40
Ray Road Equip.	155.97
Trans Global Steel	49.30
Wells Oil	503.05
Total	<u>\$ 1,299.27</u>

### CULVERTS

Bensons Hardware	\$ 14.94
Derry Sand & Gravel	126.00
J M Building	150.00
Al Lee Co.	126.04
Logan Equipment	55.00
Moore's Trucking	3,511.50
Primary Supply	158.73
Scott Concrete	168.00
Taylor Rental	24.00
Total	<u>\$ 4,334.21</u>
Allied Chemical	267.90
Merrimack Farmers	149.22
First Lumber	13.80
	<u>\$ 4,765.13</u>

### TREE WORK

Builders Supply	\$ 7.50
Eddies Saw Service	315.35
First Lumber	17.76
Total	<u>\$ 340.61</u>

### PATCHING TAR ROADS

Allied Chemical	\$ 783.13
Mystic Oil	1,892.48
Hudson Sand and Gravel	728.72

J. M. Building	150.00
Total	<u>\$ 3,554.33</u>

#### **OIL DIRT ROADS**

Beede Oil Corporation	\$ 3,625.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	486.50
Total	<u>\$ 4,111.50</u>

#### **NEW CONSTRUCTION**

Allied Chemical	\$ 141.16
Mystic Oil	24,989.33
Builders Supply	12.00
Derry Water	61.50
Ducharme Sand & Gravel	943.46
Duracrete	378.83
Edward Fuel Pump	28.00
First Lumber	8.36
Lee Industrial	28.44
Logan Equipment	27.50
Granite State Contractors	350.00
Lumbertown	34.56
Charles Mc Question	331.80
Merrimack Farmers	25.50
Moore's Trucking	43,608.00
N.H. Explosives	1,800.00
Penn Culvert	12,390.63
Primary Supply	18.30
Properties	137.70
Public Service	125.40
R. C. Hazelton	601.40
Ron's Tree Care	2,850.00
Scott Concrete	420.00
State Treasurer	4,229.19
Tate Construction	512.00
	<u>\$94,053.06</u>

Amount Reimbursed	
L.H.R.A.	( 2,927.00)
Amount Reimbursed Revenue Sharing	<u>(24,853.67)</u>
	<u>\$66,272.39</u>

#### **TOWN GARAGE AND GENERAL EXPENSES**

Bensons Hardware	\$ 51.36
Building Supply	38.88
Albert Cate	176.91
Chadwich Baross	660.79

Creative 101	329.41
Derry Auto	4.25
I. J. Feyaur	961.57
First Lumber	81.69
William Hooper	30.00
George Krauzer Paper Co.	21.30
J. M. Building	150.00
Lafayette Oil	888.09
Al Lee Co.	6.00
Lee Industrial	-0-
Merrimack Farmers	107.86
Moore's Trucking	89.00
New England Telephone	550.99
New Hampshire Medical Supply	12.50
New Hampshire Tub	50.40
New Hampshire Welding	130.71
Northeast Equipment	17.80
Overhead Door	78.50
E. W. Poore	19.84
Primary Supply	25.60
Public Service	1,442.30
Ray Road Equipment	65.25
Sanel	658.21
Transfer From Truck Expense	(728.88)
U.S. Welding	2.70
Wells Oil Co.	24.53
Total	<u>\$ 5,947.56</u>

#### **STREET LIGHTS**

Public Service	\$ 9,277.78
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#### **TRA FUNDS**

New Hampshire State Treasurer	\$ 1,931.91
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#### **TRUCK EXPENSE**

Armands Garage	\$ 1,435.11
Banner Auto Body	150.00
Derry Auto	404.75
Derry Glass	25.80
Donovan Spring	61.35
Eatons Auto	3.50
Edwards Fuel Pump	38.00
T. S. Femaner	186.01
First Lumber	11.28
Paul Hicks	112.68
William Hooper	50.50



International Harvester	402.65
Lee Industrial	27.25
Motorola	1,189.00
Northeast	36.39
Noyes Tire	183.95
Penn/Hampshire	759.14
Peppins Garage	78.15
Sanel Auto	1,583.31
John Shaw	136.70
Stratham Tire	894.06
Transglobal Steel	196.25
Transfer from Town Garage	675.09
Transfer from Town Garage	53.79
Total	<u>\$ 8,694.71</u>

**POLICE DEPARTMENT  
WAGES PAID**

Chief	\$ 14,822.94
Lieutenant	13,021.71
Agent	11,277.11
Sergeant	17,407.82
Corporals	27,893.80
Patrolmen	64,246.45
Secretary	7,859.84
Clerk/Dispatchers	28,912.49
Crossing Guards	2,602.95
Special Officers & O.T.	7,513.89
Total	<u>\$195,559.00</u>

**EDUCATIONAL INCENTIVE**

Education	\$ 545.00
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**GRANT**

Mucci	\$ 900.00
Hughes	35.00
Total	<u>\$ 935.00</u>

**CLOTHING ALLOWANCE**

Michael Alden	\$ 9.00
American Footwear	29.55
Anwelt Corporation	49.94
Gregory Avakian	11.40
Fred Ball	5.00
Bens Uniforms	562.76
Raymond Bower	97.15
William Bradley	16.55

Tulley Buick	17,320.32
Jack Welch	17.38
Whelan Engineering	102.51
Total	<u>\$17,946.62</u>

#### MAINTENANCE

Aries Graphics	\$ 37.50
Argo Institute	89.53
Banner Auto	809.55
Bensons Hardware	12.27
Tulley Buick	608.79
Bud's Super Shell	200.36
Car-Go	882.16
Chases	87.22
R. J. Cote	25.65
Creative 101	329.42
R. S. Darling	103.75
Derry Auto	40.47
Eaton's Auto Repair	2,759.57
Hanks garage	15.00
K Mart	68.40
Kilgus	12.05
Al Lee	62.55
Londonderry B&T	13.90
Londonderry Car Wash	124.25
Maquies Getty	10.50
Mobil Oil	324.32
Motor Sport	82.20
N.H. Lube	16.26
Penn Hampshire	191.59
Peppins Garage	896.26
Les Pye Jr.	4.95
Sanel Auto Parts	106.63
Seaman Supply	1.25
State of New Hampshire	67.50
Stratham Tire	71.72
Thoors Auto	131.02
Travelers Insurance	69.90
Jack Welch	33.31
Total	<u>\$ 8,289.80</u>

#### TRAINING

Fred Ball	\$ 127.30
Builders Exchange	33.31
Bureau of National Office	48.00
Clark Boardman	33.00
Community Crime	42.00

Econics Press	44.59
Equity Publishing Co.	70.00
Great Northern Sport Shop	12.95
IACP	35.00
John Lee M.D.	20.00
National Council	55.00
New Hampshire Association of Police	10.00
New Hampshire Law Weekly	12.00
New Hampshire Police Association	5.00
Northeast Photo	68.00
Research Institute	74.76
Riley Sport Shop	321.50
Sheppard Citation	45.00
State of New Hampshire	80.00
Total	<u>\$ 1,137.41</u>

#### RETIREMENT

New Hampshire State Treasurer	\$12,067.89
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#### DEPARTMENT SURVEY

Paul A. Doyon	\$ 2,475.00
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#### GRANT REFUNDS

74A814 E02	\$ 569.70
74A979 E04	<u>107.92</u>
Total	\$ 677.62

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT Wages Paid

Chief	\$ 13,110.24
Officers	32,268.20
Firemen's Wages	<u>64,267.34</u>
Total	\$109,645.78

#### HOLIDAY WAGES

Holiday	\$ 1,616.56
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#### CETA PROGRAM

CETA — Fire	\$ 3,622.08
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#### DEPARTMENT PENSION

New Hampshire State Treasurer	\$ 8,109.05
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#### ELECTRICITY

Public Service	\$ 1,508.36
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## TELEPHONE

New England Telephone	\$ 1,388.55
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## HEAT

Community Oil	\$ 2,447.74
Pyrofax Gas	19.81
	<u>326.14</u>
Total	\$ 2,793.69

## VEHICLE REPAIR

Bracken & Co.	\$ 7.80
Derry Auto	45.96
Derry Chrysler	2.65
Edwards Fuel Pump	40.00
First Lumber	27.84
Dave Hicks	21.20
Howe Tire	14.70
International Harvester	4.82
K. C. Sign	20.00
Al Lee	21.00
Lumbertown	2.09
McKenzie Motors	8.40
Motor Sport	80.00
National Brake	79.30
New Hampshire	1.13
New Hampshire Welding	2.70
Northeast Remington	10.65
Northstar Steel	75.59
Sanel Auto	1,477.07
John Shaw Co.	60.00
Stills Nursery	4.50
Stratham Tire	13.62
Suffork Trucking	<u>300.00</u>
Total	\$ 2,321.02

## STATION MAINTENANCE

American Hardware	\$ 51.65
Bensons Hardware	2.30
Builders Exchange	19.50
Community Supply	79.21
First Lumber	381.41
Lamont Labs	211.80
Lumbertown	3.85
Merrimack Farmers	10.80
Merrimack Valley	<u>35.04</u>

Pyrofax Gas	36.85
Sheppard Corp.	37.62
Total	<u>\$ 870.03</u>

### **SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT**

Adirerondack Dir.	\$ 396.90
Art Graphics	37.50
Bensons Hardware	64.90
Blanchard Ass.	121.33
Border Area Mutual	10.00
Comolli Equipment	103.15
Conway Association	866.83
Creative 101	329.42
First Lumber	314.89
Gorham Fire	45.00
Paul Harkinson	18.00
Interstate Motors	36.05
Lamont Labs	140.55
Manchester Oxygen	7.45
Metra Chemical	58.67
Middlesex Tire Equipment	101.98
New Hampshire Medical Supply	49.53
New Hampshire Welding	65.53
Northeast Photo	191.50
Northstar Steel	154.85
Pyrofax Gas	9.40
R. L. Service	234.13
Total	<u>\$ 3,357.56</u>

### **COMMUNICATIONS**

Motorola Inc.	\$ 556.25
Pioneer Com.	280.29
2 Way Comm.	440.78
Total	<u>\$ 1,277.32</u>

### **OFFICE SUPPLIES**

Benzeger Bruce	\$ 1.30
Border Area Mut.	10.00
Cains & Bros.	19.78
Derry News	6.00
Fire Chief Mag.	12.00
Ed Hatch	175.00
Dave Hicks	23.50
National Fire Pro.	46.00
N.E. Association of Fire	10.00
Newshire Forms Inc.	61.36

Tom Ray	90.69
Tire Engineering	<u>12.00</u>
Total	\$ 467.63

#### TRAINING

Bruce Benziger	\$ 12.95
Arthur Edminston	55.80
G. Russell Goodwin	167.00
Lanny VanDeBogart	55.80
UNH	<u>35.00</u>
Total	\$ 326.55

#### CLOTHING ALLOWANCE

Bens Uniform	\$ 217.16
Globe	10.00
Morey Uniform	<u>815.00</u>
Total	\$ 1,042.16

#### DEPARTMENT FUEL

Londonderry Fire Department	\$ 441.94
Texaco	<u>19,384.74</u>
Total	\$19,826.68

#### GRENIER FIELD LOAN

Merchants National	\$ 3,600.00
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#### LIBRARY CONTENTS

Library Trustees	\$ 8,000.00
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## ROAD AGENT REPORT

The year of 1977 was as usual quite a busy one with more new homes, more people, and more new streets to maintain.

This year we have measured our streets and find we have a total of approximately 112 miles of streets maintained by the town. 94 miles of tar streets and 18 miles of gravel roads.

The Grader was used during the summer to assist in building new playing fields at the High School, more of which is to be done this coming summer.

The T. R. A. funds were used on Hovey Rd. to hard surface the lower portion and to improve the middle portion with more work to be completed this spring.

This year we received five vehicles from the Government Surplus Program at no cost to the town. After 2 years the town will own these vehicles outright. These vehicles consist of:

1. International Dump
2. 4 x 4 Pick-up Truck
3. Jeep
4. (2) 2½ Ton 6 x 6 Trucks

This year we have had a man working with us from the Ceta Plan which is funded by the Government on a 1 year basis. He has been working on drainage for our highways, recording sizes and locations of culverts as well as working with a highway man on other maintenance duties.

The New Construction Funds were used on the following roads and projects:

1. Dirt Portion of High Range Rd. (North End)
2. Hardy Rd.
3. Sanborn Rd.
4. Sargent Rd.
5. Drainage on Baldwin Drive
6. Drainage on South Rd.
7. Drainage on Adams Rd.
8. Drainage on South Rd.
9. Drainage on South Gilcreast Rd.
10. Parmenter Rd.
11. Alexander Rd.
12. Also to purchase new culverts for any areas.

As in the past, I wish to thank everyone in the Town Office, Planning Dept., Building Dept., Police Dept., Fire Dept. for dispatching, and all the men connected with the Highway Dept. for all the cooperation they have given.

Richard S. Moore



## **LONDONDERRY POLICE DEPARTMENT 1977 YEARLY REPORT**

The 1977 statistics of the Police Department indicate activity increases of staggering proportions. Consider, if you will, an overall increase in criminal cases of more than 30 percent; motor vehicle cases up 38 percent, not including drunken driving which was up 68 percent; apprehension of adults up 48 percent, and the largest and most discouraging increase, that of cases cleared by the apprehension of juveniles, up 96 percent. Nearly 4500 cruiser dispatches were made by our staff and telephone calls which averaged less than 500 per month for the first quarter were up to more than 1400 per month by the end of the year.

This phenomenal increase caused major problems in all areas of the Department. The above figures generated an equivalent increase in paperwork to an already shorthanded clerical staff. As no additional personnel have been added to the department since 1976, we enter 1978 finding ourselves overextended in every area. The lack of sufficient clerical personnel necessitated our shifting a dispatcher to full time clerical duties. As our dispatcher force was already undermanned, it became necessary to use patrolmen as dispatchers for a minimum of 6 shifts a week. This reduced the number of patrolmen available for service calls and regular patrol work, and placed an added burden on the available officers, particularly when several calls were backed up, awaiting his arrival.

Another problem was the increase in court cases brought about by the phenomenal rise in court cases. A two hundred percent increase in the 1976-1977 period has brought us to the point where we are now presenting about 225 cases per month. About 30 of these go to full trial. In order to prevent the necessity of having several officers spending two days a week in court and in order to improve our court procedures which continually change, we have assigned one officer to the task of Police Prosecutor. The present case load and trial preparation consume about 4 of his five work days each week. Careful screening of the cases insures that only flagrant violators are brought before the court. Careful preparation of these cases have resulted in a conviction rate of about 99 percent. Of course, the role of prosecutor further depletes the manpower structure of the department.

Under such conditions, the morale of all suffers. If we are to perform our tasks in a professional manner, we must have sufficient numbers of trained personnel. A recent survey has shown that our salary structure is considerably lower than surrounding communities. If we are to retain the above-average quality of people we now have, this deficiency must be corrected.

Our record keeping procedures are among the finest in the state for a town of our size. Because of the ever-increasing burden placed on it by our continual growth we are asking for funding to have a professional assessment made so that we may proceed in a manner that will insure economical and efficient expansion.

As a result of numerous complaints from residents coupled with our own desire to increase the safety of our roads, a continuing program of traffic enforcement was sustained throughout the year. Radar was used extensively

to apprehend those who flagrantly exceed reasonable speed limits. We are happy to report that our town roads were made considerably safer. The only fatalities occurred on Route 93 early in January when an elderly lady and her companion were killed when their vehicle made a U-turn in the northbound lane and headed south. They were struck almost immediately in a head on crash. The remainder of the year remained death free, a definite improvement over previous years.

Burglary up 69% and criminal mischief (vandalism) up 19% were the most prominent problems for our criminal investigative division. Apprehension of adults rose from 9 in 1976 to 13 in 1977. Appallingly juvenile cases cleared 81 burglaries, a rise of over 45% in one year. As this report is written, a group of ten juveniles is being investigated for the burglaries of numerous homes in the North sector of town. We believe enough evidence will be gathered to bring court action.

As burglaries are rapidly increasing, we would like to remind homeowners that we have an alarm receiver at the Police Department to assist us in protecting your home. For a one-time installation charge of about six hundred dollars, an alarm installer can provide you with an alarm system that will notify us of any intrusion into your home while you are away. There are no monthly charges or other costs to you. We would ask you to consider such an installation to protect your valuable property. For further information, please contact the Police Department.

The Reserve Police group continues to be a valuable aid to the community. Regular training sessions are held throughout the year. Residents of Londonderry over the age of 18 who would like to participate in our program and who can meet our minimum qualifications are welcome to join us. Contact the Police Department for an application. Both men and women are welcome.

The Police Department received more than 11,000 dollars in government grants, reimbursements and refunds this year.

Frederick L. Ball  
Chief of Police

	1977	1976	1975	(2 yrs.) % Increase
Speeding	367	274	152	+ 141
Non-Inspection	230	182	62	+ 369
Defective Equipment	140	141	26	+ 438
No License	109	92	23	+ 373
Unregistered M.V.	144	68	9	+ 1500
Failure to Produce License	17	40		
Misuse	44	27	13	+ 238
Stop Sign	37	30	68	—45
Operating After Revocation	51	36	10	+ 410
Solid Line Violation	50	18	21	+ 138
Illegal Pass	30	16		
Reckless Operation	9	13		
No Registration	18			
Miscellaneous	183	92		
	1429	1029		+ 38%

Note: Driving While Intoxicated increased 68% in one year

	Cases			Apprehensions			
	1977	1976		Adult 1977	1976	Juvenile 1977	1976
Accidents	264	250					
Arson	21	5			1	6	0
Assault	34	39		8	15	17	12
Burglary	186	110	+ 69%	7	6	81	55
Criminal Mischief	250	210	+ 19%	6	3	51	40
Criminal Threatening	21	19		0	0	1	2
Criminal Trespass	41	31		9	0	23	3
Disorderly Conduct	8	12		4	9	6	3
Driving While Intoxicated	118	70		114	67	4	3
Drunk	11	9		9	7	2	0
Forgery	4	3		1	0	1	2
Fraud	37	9		21	1	9	1
Harrassment	37	56		0	1	8	2
Theft	258	251		12	13	31	24
Liquor Violations	2	15		1	1	45	14
Missing Persons	56	59		0	12	56	47
Narcotic Offenses	21	44		20	21	30	29
Rape	1	3		1	0	0	0
Robbery	2	2		2	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	8	4		5	0	6	4
Motor Vehicle Theft	38	21		0	2	12	6
Misc. Offenses	37	0		21	0	57	0
	1425	1032		241	162	428	247
	+ 38%			+ 48%		+ 96%	



DOG OFFICER'S REPORT

The first full year has gone by and we still have a few problems that we will rectify. One problem was the dog tags which were made with thin aluminum and did not come with reinforced eyelets as ordered. As a result they wore through and fell off soon after they were attached so that it was almost impossible to enforce the law that all dogs must wear tags. As long as I knew that the dog was licensed I didn't push the issue. This year the tags will be made of heavy gauge material and will have reinforced eyelets. If a dog loses its tag a warning will be given to get a new one, and if not heeded then a penalty will be assessed.

I would like to remind everyone to get their new license on time this year or it could prove costly. Besides the penalty I issue, the State has a dollar-a-month late fee after the first of June. License fees have gone up to \$6.50 for female dogs, \$6.00 for male dogs, and \$3.50 for spayed or neutered dogs. The new license will go on sale April 1st, and must be purchased by June 1st. As an example of how costly failure to comply with the law can be, let us suppose that some one did not license their dog this year and was caught in December. The new law went into effect in August so that instead of \$2.00 for a male license in May, it would cost \$6.00 for the license, a \$10.00 penalty fee and a \$5.00 late fee for a total of \$21.00!!

One thing I would like to stress is the seriousness of dog bite cases. I think that only half the dog bite cases are reported as required. We have been lucky so far not to have had any cases of rabies. It should be noted that even though a dog has had its rabies shots there is a slim possibility that rabies could be transmitted through a dog bite. The proper way to proceed is to report the dog bite (anytime the skin is broken it is considered a bite) and I will fill out the required forms, check to see that the dog in question has had its shots and notify the owner to confine the dog for ten days. If the animal has not had his shots, and the owner is unable to confine the dog at home then, by law, it must be kept at the Kennel for 10 days at the owner's expense. Any dog biting someone off the owner's property will have to be restrained. Please, report all dog bite cases immediately.

Once again the Rabies Clinic will be held in April of this year.

To illustrate the fact that I have had a few personal dog problems also, let me tell you about the call that came in one Sunday last year. Someone called to report that a black Lab was making a nuisance of himself; when I went to pick him up imagine my embarrassment to find it was my dog!! I brought him home, tied him up, and fifteen minutes later got a call that the dog was back. I couldn't believe it until I learned that my son had come home and let the dog loose! So, you see it can happen to anyone.

In summary, it has been a busy year, and promises to be even busier with the influx of people moving into town. I have made a few enemies while doing my job, but I have also made many new friends.

Thank you for your cooperation this past year.

Dogs picked up . . . . .	239	Dog bite cases . . . . .	32
Dogs returned to owner . . . . .	83	Complaints answered . . . . .	477



Dogs put in Kennel . . . . .	144	Calls received . . . . .	1220
Dogs released from Kennel, or homes found . . . . .	82	Calls at home . . . . .	719
Dogs put to sleep . . . . .	64	Horses caught & returned . . .	14
Cats placed in homes . . . . .	11	Dogs restrained . . . . .	75
Cats picked up . . . . .	39	Warnings . . . . .	142
Cats put to sleep . . . . .	18	Dog damage . . . . .	5
Dead animals picked up . . . . .	29	Ducks picked up . . . . .	2
Summons issued (unlicensed & Kennel) . . . . .	254	Sheep picked up . . . . .	1
Summons for penalties . . . . .	5	Steer picked up . . . . .	1
Summons to court . . . . .	8		
Summons to Court for failure to license . . . . .	11		

A. Richard Potter,  
Londonderry Dog Officer

# **LONDONDERRY FIRE DEPARTMENT**

## **1977 Town Report**

**EMERGENCY CALLS . . . ONLY . . . 432-3138 . . . or . . . 432-7742**

**Station No. 1 . . . 432-3442**

**Station No. 2 . . . 432-3369**

Particular attention should be brought to the new Emergency number in use now. Under our previous arrangements, the Red phone system consisted of an open line; this meant that more than one call could be received on the same line, without the caller receiving a busy signal.

Because this system is no longer offered, we have had to install another Emergency line. Should you call to report a fire on 432-3138, and receive a busy signal, use the 432-7742 number.

The call firefighters and off-duty full time employees of the department reached a total of 2307 hours spent in firefighting in 1977.

Our responses increased due to several factors. An early Spring fire season was responsible for a large increase in the number of grass and brush fires. We have also had a record number of calls for electrical fires and flooded cellars.

The number of responses to fires caused by chimneys and wood stoves increased in 1977. To emphasize our concern with this problem, and to minimize the hazards to homeowners, we will gladly advise you on the proper method of chimney and wood stove installation, answer all of your questions, and we recommend your calling us to inspect your woodstove installation.

The Fire Department conducted 616 inspections of oil-burning equipment, chimneys, fireplaces, wood-burning stoves, oil tank installations, and businesses. Also, much time was spent on investigations to determine the causes of fires.

Respectfully submitted,  
David A. Hicks, Chief

### **Fire Responses and Activations other than Fire**

	<b>1976</b>	<b>1977</b>
Grass, Woods, and Trash Fires . . . . .	59	73
House Fires . . . . .	21	22
Motor Vehicle Fires . . . . .	29	42
Dump Fires . . . . .	6	3
Electrical . . . . .	12	28
Apartment Fires . . . . .	3	7
Mobile Home Fires . . . . .	3	6
Industrial and Commercial Fires . . . . .	5	17
Oil Burner . . . . .	7	3
Gas Leaks . . . . .	12	24

Checking Smoke for possible Fires .....	45	30
Miscellaneous and False Alarms .....	8	27
Rescues and Lockouts .....	11	6
Pumping Cellars .....	6	49
Police Department Assistance .....	16	10
Mutual Aid Assistance .....	25	15
Resuscitator Calls .....	8	22
Highway Department Assistance .....	12	4
Chimney Fires .....	19	18
Barn Fires .....	0	3
Bomb Threat .....	0	4
	<u>307</u>	<u>413</u>

**REPORT OF DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF AND  
TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN**

Forest fire control in New Hampshire is a joint state and town/city responsibility (RSA 224).

The Director, Division of Forests and Lands (State Forester) appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town/city upon the recommendation of local authorities.

The local forest fire warden is responsible for forest fire prevention and suppression activities in his town. He regulates the kindling of outside fires when the ground is not covered with snow by the issuance of written permits only when conditions are safe. He is responsible for suppression with the town/city and state sharing the cost. Suppression costs in excess of ¼ of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town are assumed by the state.

The state provides training for the local fire organization and helps coordinate activities between towns/cities. The state also supports local forces with backup personnel, equipment, and supplies for suppression and prevention.

This combination of state and local cooperation, started in 1893, works well, for New Hampshire has enjoyed one of the smallest acreage losses due to forest fires in the United States for the past 25 years.

**1977 Forest Fire Statistics**

	<b>No. of Fires</b>	<b>No. of Acres Burned</b>
State	1,091	2,386
District	217	94
Town	73	16

Permits issued in Londonderry      1977 — 806

Dennis Thorell  
District Fire Chief

David A. Hicks  
Forest Fire Warden



## **PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**

Pardon us if we get just a little exuberant in making this report. 1977 was an exciting year for the Commission as every program grew and we feel every program was just a little better than the year before. Perhaps experience really is a good teacher.

We had a new summer recreation director and under his direction, 250 registered and attendance averaged 140-145 daily. The arts and crafts area was enjoyed by all participants; day-trips seemed to be the highlight of every week — and the a.m. set had two trips of their own. The closing Field Day and Picnic was a spectacular event.

Men's Softball, a program supported by the Rec. Comm., enjoyed spirited play with nine teams, 160 players. Looking forward to seeing the program expand in '78.

Flag football, which the Rec. Comm. supports, had another good year. Even juggling around to get a playing field, the program was a success; thanks to the Football Association.

The Volleyball Programs, men's and women's, are really going and growing for the third year. The ladies play Wednesday evenings and have twenty-eight or so participating. The men have got 48 players and the competition is close. The men play Thursday evenings.

Our Youth Basketball Program picked up 68 more players and we now have 268. Play is every Saturday starting at 9 a.m. Help is always needed and if you want to get some exercise and want to help us — stop by the North School or Matthew Thornton Gyms — we need you.

## **WHAT WAS NEW???**

Afraid you wouldn't ask. First, the tennis courts are in and have been enjoyed by many of the townspeople. If you haven't been down to play, and even if you don't play, come on down and take a look at the first permanent installation at the 47 Acres when spring gets here. We hope you will be as pleased as we are proud of this facility.

The Londonderry Recreation Commission entered a girls softball team in the N.H. Miss Softball League. Seventeen girls played and although a winning record was not in the cards — they played some close games and won a couple. The familiar cry of "Wait Until Next Year" means we'll have a team (or teams) representing the town again in '78.

The Men's Football Program got started in late September and 28 hale and hearty souls gave it a whirl. They played on Sunday Mornings and are looking for more players next fall.

A new physical fitness program was introduced January '78 and if the first night was any indication, we have a success on our hands, (We Love It). First hour featured exercises for the family and the rest of the evening for ladies. If you missed out this time, look for the program again this fall.

## WHAT'S COMING FOR '78? ANYTHING NEW?

You bet. We've got ideas, some plans, some help (we'll need more) and we hope to make the following happen:

The basketball — ice skating facility will be constructed in the spring. (Bids were opened January 18.)

If the needed volunteer help comes forward, there will be a teen-age summer basketball program; a men's program if there's the interest. We're a flexible group, tell us what you would like.

The Londonderry Women's Club has undertaken a project to obtain playground equipment for installation at the 47 Acres. We hope to be able to supplement their funds with Bureau of Outdoor Recreation Funds and have a great facility. We appreciate their efforts and look forward to working with the Women's Club.

Using our new tennis facility, we hope to offer tennis clinics for the novices. Also, there will be some rules posted and we hope all players will honor those rules so the courts will be enjoyed by all players.

The Recreation Commission hopes to establish a nature trail — cross country ski trail around the perimeter of the entire 47 Acres. After some discussion at a recent meeting it was discovered we're not naturalists but we're sure with help the project will be done right.

It is hoped to get picnic tables and benches put in on the 47 Acres. Finally, put in a volleyball court adjacent to the new basketball courts. We think we can get all this for \$300, which will come from our Annual Budget.

We have three enthusiastic people working with the Commission and each has volunteered to help us with our new programs. We meet the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the Junior High School at 7:15 p.m. Our meetings are open, stop in. If there is something you want to discuss; give us a call, we'll put your item on the agenda. Look for recreation news in **The Derry News**.

We solicit your support for our Warrant Article(s) and hope we can continue to serve the community in '78 with the same success, growth and enjoyment that we had in 1977.

Respectfully,  
The Londonderry Parks &  
Recreation Commission  
Joe Blasius  
Sara High  
Dave Rist  
Fred Sigrist, Chairman

## LONDONDERRY LEACH LIBRARY

The Leach Library has had a rewarding year, adding extensively to its fine collection of craft and non-fiction books, as well as current fiction and magazines.

The trustees meet monthly to conduct business and to adapt the library to the needs of the community. There has been an increase in the number of hours the library is open, to accommodate patrons who could not use it during the old prescribed time. The new hours are, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M., Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M., Saturdays from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Craft classes have been held, along with a story hour for small children. Also, among the activities have been two bus trips to Faneuil Hall, Boston, having home cooked food and hot and cold drinks at Town Meeting, a book sale on Old Home Day, and a gift table of handmade articles, at Christmas time, the proceeds going toward the children's room, which the trustees are in the process of planning.

Acknowledged with great appreciation is the work done by the Friends of the Library. They held their annual sale of handmade articles, preserves and plants at Mack's Apple Orchard during the Festival and generally have another money making project. This year they contributed toward the purchase of a card catalogue filing cabinet.

Again, landscaping care and the planting of spring flowers has been done by members of the Londonderry Garden Club or under their supervision. This includes a lilac bush donated by the Naborly Club and a blue spruce tree donated by the Londonderry Branch of the Merchants Savings Bank of Manchester.

The growth of the library has increased steadily with 4261 card holders over last year's 3500; giving us a total of 761 new applicants.

Respectfully submitted,  
Dorothy S. Webber, Secretary

## LONDONDERRY LEACH LIBRARY

### Book Expenditures

January 1, 1977 — December 31, 1977

Balance — January 1, 1977	\$ 59.69
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#### Receipts:

Town Appropriation	9,500.00
Trust Funds	198.53
Coffin Fund . . .	\$79.42
Leach Fund . . .	79.42
Ordway Fund . . .	39.69
Londonderry Women's Club	232.50



Derry Book Club	20.00	
Gifts	38.24	
Lost Books	18.44	
Interest on NOW Account	<u>181.29</u>	
Total Debits		\$10,248.69
<b>Expenditures:</b>		
Books & Supplies	\$10,232.51	
Balance December 31, 1977	<u>16.18</u>	
Total Credits		\$10,248.69

Respectfully submitted,  
Marion E. Landry, Treasurer  
Londonderry Leach Library

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT 1977

Books in Library	14,865	
Number loaned	43,395	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1976		\$ 65.44
Income		<u>628.50</u>
		\$693.94
Expenditures		<u>\$674.84</u>
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1977		\$ 19.10

### Library hours

Mon. thru Fri. — 10-5:30  
Tues. & Thurs. — 1-9  
Sat. — 10-4  
Closed Sat. during July & Aug.

Marie Sanborn



## CARE OF CEMETERIES 1977

### Receipts:

Town Trust Funds	\$4,148.75
Town Appropriation	1,996.00
	<hr/> \$6,144.75

### Payments:

Kent Allen	
Care of Cemeteries	\$4,866.00
Equipment Allowance	700.00
Materials	10.00
T. Simmons	550.00
Flowers	18.75
	<hr/> \$6,144.75

## TRUST FUNDS

### Receipts:

Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$ 954.36
Londonderry Bank & Trust Co.	2,964.15
Manchester Federal Savings & Loan	1,131.44
Merchants Savings Bank	20.00
	<hr/> \$5,069.95

### Payments:

Town of Londonderry	
Cemeteries	\$4,148.75
Welfare	427.44
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School Treasurer	295.00
Library Treasurer	198.76
	<hr/> \$5,069.95

## SUMMARY OF TRUST FUNDS

### January 1, 1977

Balance of funds	\$ 63,025.63
Unexpended Income	38,349.50

### 1977 Income

New Trust Funds	160.00
Income on Funds	7,453.33
	<hr/> \$108,988.46

December 31, 1977	
Expended	5,069.95
Unexpended Income	40,732.88
Funds in Trust	<u>63,185.63</u>
	\$108,988.46

Trustees of Trust Funds  
 Ralph F. Dutton  
 Mary P. Reed  
 Theresa K. Simmons

## DERRY VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

### REPORT TO THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

(for period of 7/1/76 - 6/30/77)

During the twelve months of July 1, 1976 thru June 30, 1977, home health services' requested for Londonderry residents showed considerable overall increase in comparison to the year of 1975-1976. The figures for the two years are as follows:

	1975-1976	1976-1977
Total nursing visits	597	617
Physical Therapy	188	173
Homemaker/Home Health Aide Visits	90	335
Total Home Visits	875	1125

It is not surprising that, as Londonderry's population grows, so also does its need for home health services. The greatest increase in services needed by Londonderry residents this past year was for homemaking and home health aide service. This showed a 370% increase! Homemaking is light housekeeping assistance provided to individuals with health or social problems. It is primarily funded thru the Title XX section of the Social Security Act to income eligible individuals. Home health aide assistance is assistance with personal care provided by trained individuals under the supervision and direction of a nurse or therapist. The increased need for this kind of home health service appears directly related to the tendency toward earlier and earlier hospital discharges, and is likely to continue.

Two other kinds of health services offered by the agency are various clinic services and special class instruction (for expectant parents). The clinic-type services include Immunization and Blood Pressure Screening Clinics, office visits for TB testing and blood pressure checks, and in the fall of 1976, a special agency project of offering "flu clinics" as part of the national effort to prevent a major flu epidemic. One of these clinics was held at the Londonderry Matthew Thornton School.

The agency's Expectant Parent Classes, offered at the Alexander Eastman Hospital in Derry, have generated increasing interest and enthusiasm with a resulting increase in registrations and attendance which includes Londonderry residents. In response to this, the agency in the future will increase each course from seven evening sessions to eight and from three courses per year to four. This is consistent with one of the agency's primary goals of promoting and improving maternal and child health in the communities it serves.

So as the agency looks ahead to its 70th birthday in the spring of 1978, it also looks ahead to a continuing demand for its home health and community

health services due both to increasing population and shorter hospital stays. The agency must maintain the needed quality standards and staffing capacity to respond appropriately to these demands.

Respectfully submitted,  
Joanne Millsaps, R.N.  
Nurse/Administrator

Londonderry residents currently serving on our Board of Directors are:  
John Calhoun, Treasurer  
John Giannetti, Chairman of Personnel and Administration Committee  
Janet Morneau, Chairman of Board of Education Committee



## REPORT OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT

During the calendar year of 1977, the office of the Building Department issued 528 permits for a total value of \$14,886,425. Single family house permits for calendar year 1977 was 262. For 1976 the total was 391, and while it would appear that the number was down in 1977, it should be noted that 125 permits were issued in December, 1976 prior to the moratorium being instituted.

Also issued this year were permits for 346 multi-family Condominium units. Although under current zoning Condominium and apartment units are not allowed, these particular units were approved by the Planning Board in 1973, and are thus exempt from present zoning. In line with current Master Plan recommendations the Developer has agreed to build approximately fifty (50) units per year.

The Building Department was fortunate to have a full time Assistant this year made available through the federally funded CETA program. This Assistant, Mr. Glenn Paradis, has worked mostly in an administrative capacity, and has installed many records, and recording methods, that have proven very helpful. With these new records, and the increased activity in the Building Department due to State required licensing of Electricians and Plumbers, combined with stricter Water Pollution regulations, and new Town zoning, it has become more evident that an assistant to the Department is a necessity in order to handle the increased work load from these programs and the ever growing population.

This report also shows the activities of the Health Department.

Respectfully submitted,  
Richard L. Hodgman  
Building Inspector &  
Health Officer

### HOUSE COUNT INFORMATION

April 1	Houses	Commercial & Industrial	Trailers	Apartments		Condominiums	
				Bldgs	Units	Bldgs.	Units
1974	1,644	110	432	48	517	27	218
1975	1,759	115	455	48	517	27	218
1976	1,949	120	451	48	517	35	250
1977	2,206	126	471	57	589	37	264

Type of Structure	Number Issued	Approx. Value
Single Houses	262	\$11,274,000
Fireplaces, Stoves, Chimneys	67	52,775
Private & Commercial Garages	31	162,500
Residential Remodel	107	463,530
Industrial Building - New & Additions	18	2,653,000

Sheds & Barns	3	3,700
Sundecks & Porches	16	28,770
Inground Swimming Pools	18	194,750
Mobile Home Replacements	5	53,400
		<u>\$14,886,425</u>
Schools		4,086,496
Condominiums	346 (units)	9,100,000
Septic Systems Approved		272
Health Complaints		48
Zoning Violations		30
Failure to get Permits		13
Major Violations of Building Code		10

## BUDGET COMMITTEE

The twelve members of the Londonderry Budget Committee act in an advisory capacity overseeing the budgets of the School and Town departments. Being elected by the townspeople, we are responsible to you, the citizens of the town, and represent your interests to see that the respective budgets are reasonable and justly formulated. In this capacity we have met with various departments over the past year for informational purposes, with the objective being to gain an added insight into various departments' operations, thereby improving communications between departments and the townspeople.

You will find our recommended budget in a separate column adjacent to the Selectmen's budget; and where there are differences, we will explain them at the Town Meeting.

We would like to thank the various boards for their cooperation throughout this year and the town's people for their continued support.

Respectfully submitted,

Londonderry Budget Committee

## LONDONDERRY PLANNING BOARD

The Londonderry Planning Board, regretfully received the resignation of its chairman George "Bud" Hicks in May of 1977. Bud had been a member of the Planning Board since 1969 and had been chairman since 1970. The Board has missed his fair judgement and knowledge of Londonderry and wishes to thank him for his leadership and years of dedication to the Town.

The approval by Town Meeting to acquire a consultant to update the Master Plan for the town took priority and had been accomplished by May. Harry Poole, from E. Greenwich, R.I. was contracted and worked with the Board and a citizens committee for the remainder of the year on this project. A building permit limitation, adopted at Town meeting did not slow the workload of the Board at all. Plans for 260 lots were signed along with 3 site plans, and 5 boundary plans. Many additional plans were reviewed and are in process. The fees for subdivision review, that had been increased late in 1976, gave the Board an income figure of \$11,586.40, which almost covers the total years expenses.

The Board is proposing zoning articles for the 1978 town meeting, which include a soils zoning, the purpose of which is to regulate lot size based on soils and to limit development to areas most suitable for development; and a building permit limitation to control the rapid growth of Londonderry and insure orderly, well planned development.

The Board meets every Wednesday evening at the Londonderry Town Offices and holds subdivision hearings on the second Wednesday of each month.

Respectfully submitted  
Marcel Demers, Chairman

### TAX EVALUATION CHART

Year	Population*	Total Valuation	Tax Rate
1969	5250	\$32,965,875	\$27.80
1970	5346	34,257,230	29.80
1971	6063	43,956,180	27.00
1972	6673	54,146,008	29.50
1973	7310	61,616,130	34.50
1974	8400	71,570,280	38.50
1975	8947	76,747,530	44.30
1976	10395	84,818,650	47.50
1977	12068	95,586,420	45.50

\*Population figures as submitted by Office of State Planning.



## BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

### 1977 Activities

There was a record number of 57 appeals heard this year. Once again the majority of cases considered by the Board were requests for family type commercial enterprises in residential homes, many of which were granted.

The most controversial and best attended meeting of the year concerned the application from the New Hampshire Governor's Commission on Crime and Delinquency to locate a Work Release Program in the Grenier Field Complex, which the Board denied.

Throughout the year each application has been carefully considered and applicants and abutters have been invited to remain during the discussion and decision making process which ensued.

It should be noted that the general public is always welcome at all of the meetings which are held the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The past few months the meeting site has been changed from the Town Office (due to lack of space) to either the Town Library on Mammoth Road, or the North School on Sanborn Road, but adequate notice is given to enable interested persons to attend.

### 1977 STATISTICS

Type of Case	Granted	Denied	Withdrawn	Did Not Appear	Tabled
Variance	36	14	3	2	1
Special Exception	1				
Total	57				

### CASE HISTORY

Year	No. of Cases
1977	57
1976	26
1975	31
1974	45
1973	49
1972	36
1971	21
1970	22
1969	18
1968	24

Currently serving on the Londonderry Board of Adjustment are the Following:

Robert Evans, Chairman  
Jack Shuler, Vice Chairman  
Richard A. Cote, Secretary

Alan Saulnier  
Harry Anagnos, Alternate  
Robert Cowie, Alternate

Respectfully submitted,  
Richard A. Cote, Secretary  
Board of Adjustment

## LONDONDERRY CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission's major efforts for 1977 have been directed toward acquiring funding for land purchase in the Musquash area. The Musquash Swamp is one of the largest woodland areas left in southern New Hampshire which includes a significant variety of terrain of rocky ledge, pine forests and swampy ponds. The area appears to be a natural watershed and is definitely a haven for diverse wildlife. There are plant communities of unusual diversity and productivity. The Society for the Protection of N.H. Forests officially lists the area as a "Natural Area" and one on which the access impact would be severe. We would like to save a part of this for future generations.

In early 1977, we worked in cooperation with the town in acquiring two parcels of land, one of which gives public access to Kendall Pond. Other land acquisition near Kendall Pond is still pending.

The town voted to update the soils map in 1977. Because of the demand on the Soil Conservation District, the full study will not be done until 1981, however any parcel that causes a problem for the town will be scheduled for immediate survey.

One member of the Conservation Commission joined the Beaver Valley Watershed's annual canoe survey of Beaver Brook. Some cleanup work was done and trouble spots were viewed.

We routinely reviewed seven Dredge and Fill permits and have answered many queries from townspeople. The possibility of inoculating healthy elm trees against Dutch Elm disease has been discussed and is presently being further investigated.

The commission meets the second and fourth Tuesday evening of each month at the Town Hall. Our members are:

Daniel Hicks  
Brian Howe  
Phil Hult

Diann MacRae  
Rod Mattson  
Barbara Thompson

Respectfully submitted,

Diann MacRae, Chairman  
Londonderry Conservation  
Commission

## **LONDONDERRY HOUSING & REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

### **Report of the Chairman**

As we move into our tenth year of operation we are nearly all committed for available building sites.

#### **Progress report: Parcel I**

The Beal Company has completed one building for office and industrial use. They have taken an additional 17 acres for which we expect to have plans in 1978.

#### **Parcel II**

The Silver Bros. plant has been completed, a 40,000 sq. ft. building completed by Enterprise Development Corp. and an addition to Atlantic Grinding & Welding's building of 6,000 sq. ft. Enterprise Development Corp. has a 42,000 sq. ft. building well underway and Lamont Labs has an addition that should be complete by spring of '78. Future projections for construction include a 70,000 sq. ft. addition for Silver Bros., 30,000 sq. ft. of building by Yankee Electronic Supply and additional 50,000 sq. ft. building by Enterprise Development all expected to begin construction in 1978.

Plans are being drawn up for the entire entrance area including the lot containing the present Town Office building. We expect the plans to be complete and approved for construction to start in spring of 1979. This will mean that the Town must seek new facilities by renting or building as we have no alternative but to request that they vacate. The plans for this area are being drawn by the same architect to insure a harmonious and attractive entrance to the park.

This parcel has been the final phase of new water lines and hydrants constructed, the sewer lines are almost complete and some road work has been done. We have hopes that roads in this area can qualify for Federal cost share funding in which case we can rebuild them completely. We have had a great deal of help in this matter working with the Town Engineer who has initiated the necessary steps for us to obtain this Federal assistance.

#### **Parcel III**

This area has been at a standstill waiting for the final deeds to be signed by Mayor of Manchester on a land swap worked out about two years ago. This will mean an additional 20 acres for aviation oriented industry next to a taxiway. We have much interest from developers for this area and expect some action this coming year.

A problem that still is not solved is the roadway for entrance to this parcel. After the land swap is completed, we hope to work out a satisfactory solution with Manchester to join this area to Ammon Drive. We also expect to build from Industrial Drive to Pettingill Road and Harvey Road in conjunction with the Nash-Tamposi developers.

The Xentex Company has indicated to us a possibility of expansion in the near future.



In summary, progress is steady, we are adding about \$2,000,000 annually to the assessed valuation of the Town. In 1977, over \$12,000 was realized by the Town in Motor Vehicle Permit fees. To date, we have put in water, sewer and road construction that totals \$470,000. This has been done without cost to the taxpayers of Londonderry. We still reduced our mortgage slightly so we now owe about \$136,000 of an original \$400,000 and we still will repay the Town the \$50,000 borrowed by them for us on a bond issue.

I wish to express the thanks of the commissioners of the Londonderry Housing & Redevelopment Authority, to the Selectmen, Building Inspector, Planning Board and Town Engineer for their continued assistance and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

William Lievens

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
LONDONDERRY, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
December 31, 1977**

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

January 16, 1978

To the Commissioners  
Londonderry Housing and Redevelopment Authority  
Londonderry, New Hampshire

I have examined the balance sheet of the Londonderry Housing and Redevelopment Authority as of December 31, 1977 and the related statements of operations, retained earnings and changes in financial position for the year then ended. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

In my opinion, the accompanying statements present fairly the financial position of the Londonderry Housing and Redevelopment Authority at December 31, 1977, and the results of its operations and changes in financial position for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

James J. Mulrennan  
Certified Public Accountant

**LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND  
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

**BALANCE SHEET**

**December 31, 1977**

**Assets**

Cash		
Checking account	\$ 41,179.57	
Savings accounts	25,876.98	
Petty cash	<u>50.00</u>	\$ 67,106.55
Accounts receivable		1,321.24
Land and development costs — at cost (Note 1)		391,694.18
Property and equipment		
Building improvements	17,895.64	
Office equipment	<u>2,227.21</u>	
	20,122.85	
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(7,206.98)</u>	12,915.87
Prepaid insurance		<u>183.30</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<u><u>\$473,221.14</u></u>

**Liabilities and Retained Earnings**

Notes payable (Note 2)		
Mortgage notes	\$147,815.43	
Note payable	<u>50,000.00</u>	\$197,815.43
Accounts payable		32,633.46
Escrow deposit		16,980.00
Payroll taxes		232.01
Accrued expenses		<u>6,646.74</u>
		254,307.64
Deferred income		3,884.00
Retained earnings		<u>215,029.50</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RETAINED EARNINGS</b>		<u><u>\$473,221.14</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.



**LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND  
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

**STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND RETAINED EARNINGS**

**For the year ended December 31, 1977**

Revenue		
Rental income	\$ 28,819.41	
Land sale receipts	51,600.00	
Interest on savings deposits	2,409.42	
Miscellaneous	<u>563.60</u>	
Total revenue		\$ 83,392.43
Costs and expenses		
Cost of land sold	24,215.32	
Interest	11,802.56	
Office salaries	6,847.34	
Building and general maintenance	4,835.19	
Road repairs	4,296.50	
Utilities	2,872.60	
Legal fees	2,469.60	
Depreciation		
Building improvements	\$1,879.56	
Office equipment	<u>445.44</u>	2,325.00
Office supplies	892.68	
Architectural services	1,181.35	
Insurance	921.08	
Auditing services	747.50	
Payroll taxes	401.26	
Telephone	601.18	
Miscellaneous	<u>424.60</u>	
Total costs and expenses		<u>64,833.76</u>
Net income from operations		18,558.67
Retained earnings, January 1, 1977		<u>196,470.83</u>
Retained earnings, December 31, 1977		<u><u>\$215,029.50</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

**LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND  
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION**

**For the year ended December 31, 1977**

Source of funds	
Net income from operations	\$ 18,558.67
Charges not requiring an outlay of funds	
Book value of land sold	24,215.32
Depreciation	2,325.00
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Funds provided from operations	45,098.99
Increase in	
Accounts payable	26,402.02
Payroll taxes and accrued expenses	2,449.78
Note payable	11,800.00
Decrease in	
Cash	56,690.55
Prepaid expenses	107.43
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Total source of funds	<u>\$142,548.77</u>
Application of funds	
Expenditures for land and development	\$112,138.28
Principal payments on mortgage note	15,199.58
Increase in	
Accounts receivable	709.91
Decrease in	
Deferred income	241.00
Escrow deposits	14,260.00
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Total application of funds	<u>\$142,548.77</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

**LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND  
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
December 31, 1977**

**NOTE 1 — Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Land was recorded at original cost and then the acreage was segregated into separate parcels. Subsequently, the site development costs were charged to the respective land parcel. A sale of land will result in the particular land parcel being relieved of cost at the average cost rate per parcel.

**NOTE 2 — Notes Payable**

The notes payable account was comprised of the following amounts:

6% Real estate mortgages payable to the Indian Head National Bank of Derry	
Monthly installments of \$1,621.00 for interest and principal	\$ 62,565.43
Quarterly interest payments	<u>85,250.00</u>
	147,815.43
 Town of Londonderry — 5.9% installment note payable over a term of 10 years at \$5,000 per year through 1985. The 1976 and 1977 payments were deferred until future years	
	<u>50,000.00</u>
	<u><u>\$197,815.43</u></u>

**LONDONDERRY HOUSING AND  
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**  
**1977 Annual Report**

**Revenues**

Property Tax	\$243,973.00
Building Permit Fees	1,739.00
Vehicle Registrations	<u>12,109.50</u>
Total	\$257,821.50

**Land Sold**

Parcel I	
17 acres to Beal & Co. to further develop Technology Park.	
Assessed value of taxable property sold at Grenier Industrial Village	
to date:	\$5,164,250.

**Capital Improvements**

Parcel II	
Extension of sewer and water	
road reconstruction	<u>\$103,325.63</u>
Capital improvement to date	\$470,112.59

**Occupants & Jobs**

Private owners	38
Lessees & tenants	14
Employees	1093



## REPORT OF SEWER AND WATER COMMISSION

The most important action of the Sewer Commission this year was preparing an Article for the annual Town Meeting requesting bonding of a 3.4 million dollar sewer construction project in North Londonderry. The Article was passed by a 78% affirmative vote. Previous to the Town Meeting, a Bond Hearing on the sewer construction project had been held on February 14. Easements for the sewer construction project are in the process of being obtained.

Negotiations continue to be carried on with the City of Manchester regarding an Intermunicipal Agreement to discharge wastewaters to a portion of their sewer system and their wastewater treatment plant. When these negotiations have been completed, construction of the Londonderry sewer system can be initiated. Our representatives have participated in many meetings with the City regarding the Intermunicipal Agreement. The most important meeting regarding the negotiations was held on September 27 in the Manchester City Hall. Present were the Mayor and Aldermen of Manchester; representatives of the Towns of Londonderry, Goffstown, Bedford, and Hooksett; and representatives of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission. A detailed breakdown of costs for using the Manchester sewer system and wastewater treatment plant was presented to each Town at this time.

A Facilities Plan for providing sewerage for the entire Town was completed and submitted to the New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission for approval. An informational hearing regarding the Facilities Plan was held on June 30. A Public Hearing on the Facilities Plan in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 was held on August 18. The proceedings of this environmental hearing have been recorded and included in the Facilities Plan.

Negotiations have begun with officials of the Town of Derry in regard to their proposed construction of a sewage force main from their wastewater treatment plant to the Merrimack River via a Public Service Company of New Hampshire right-of-way and Litchfield Road.

Meetings with the Board of Selectmen have been held throughout the year to keep them informed on progress in the Intermunicipal Agreement negotiations, Facilities Plan, and negotiations with Derry. A meeting was also held with Harry Poole, the Town's planner, to provide him with information necessary for preparation of the Town's Master Plan.

During this past year, the Board of Selectmen appointed the Sewer Commission to act for them in all matters pertaining to public water supply in addition to their duties as Sewer Commissioners. A hearing conducted by the Public Utilities Commission regarding private water companies in Londonderry received testimony from the Sewer and Water Commission. A proposal for a water franchise extension on Harvey Road was accepted and approved by the Manchester Water Works and the Public Utilities Commission. Extensions of water and sewer lines down Harvey Road are under consideration. At the request of the Fire Department, an extension of the Man-

chester Water Works water line from Harvey Road to White's Corner for fire protection has been estimated to cost \$150,000.00.

Because of conflicts of interest regarding water and sewer line extensions down Harvey Road, John E. Webster, Jr. resigned from the Sewer and Water Commission in December.

## **WAGE AND SALARY COMMITTEE**

During the past year the committee has completely rewritten all job evaluations so we feel everyone will be able to understand them much better.

We have continued work on new job descriptions and evaluations including an administrative assistant, engineering aide and assessor for the Selectmen and a service person for the Police Department. We have reviewed the salaries as approved at the 1977 Town and School meetings for all departments noting a few discrepancies and notified those responsible.

New appointees for this year were Richard Cote, Jeanne Manning and Lawrence Plutnicki for three years, Philip Dalrymple for two years to fill the term of Maurice Lemieux who resigned for health reasons and John Shaughnessy for one year to fill the term of Robert Day who resigned because of legislative pressures.

For those who might be interested there are copies of the Wage and Salary schedules available to any resident of Londonderry, at the Leach Library, the Town Clerk's office and the Selectmen's office.

If you have any questions regarding job descriptions, evaluations or salary ranges please feel free to contact any of the members of the committee. Input from interested citizens is also invited.

Respectfully submitted,  
Charles Fowler, Chairman

## MASTER PLAN COMMITTEE REPORT

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my sincere appreciation and thanks to all those town residents who worked faithfully on the Master Plan Committee this past year. Their thoughts and the research which they did were most helpful in the formation of the proposed Master Plan.

I think it only fitting that these members be mentioned by name: Albert Bennett, Andreana Burns, Philip Burns, Malcolm Currier, Agatha Gagne, Alfred Gagne, Douglas Garcia, John Matuszewski, Norma Moore, Patrina Nesmith, Edward Jeffrey Newcombe, Vicki Perrone, Donald Redden, Nardis Shuler, Robert Webber, and David Denninger.

The citizen's advisory committee met on a weekly basis during the summer and fall of 1977 to assist Harry H. Poole, Professional Consultant to the Master Plan in the compiling of data regarding the towns history, past and present, and the desired future as seen by local residents.

The questionnaire which was distributed at the 1977 Town Meeting was analyzed carefully and served as a basis for several of the recommendations made in the Master Plan.

Meetings were also held with all boards and commissions of the town to obtain their input. Their suggestions proved invaluable in the arrival at solutions to some of the more difficult problems facing Londonderry.

I urge you to read the fruit of their work, the Master Plan. Copies are available for your benefit at the Town Hall and Londonderry Leach Library.

Respectfully submitted,  
Donald Babin, Chairman M.P.C.



## TOWN HALL BUILDING COMMITTEE

At the 1977 annual town meeting the voters passed the following article: "To see if the town will vote to establish a minimum of nine members Town Hall Building Committee to study the requirements and design of a Town Hall and present their recommendations at the April 1977 Town Meeting. Said committee to be appointed by the Moderator and shall consist of the three selectmen, one member from the building trades, one member from the Historical Society, the building inspector, and the remaining members at large." The following were appointed by Robert Webber, Town Moderator: Andy Mack, Remi Fortin, MaryAnn Robinson, Lisa Whittemore, Marilyn Ham, Joe Funk, David Denninger, Jack Webster, Bob Reed, Ross Landry, the selectmen and building inspector. MaryAnn Robinson was elected secretary and Ross Landry was elected chairman. There were no funds available for this study.

The committee interviewed four architects and selected the firm of Architects Four, which is headed by Dave White, with offices in Goffstown, N.H., to submit a proposal. During the year, the committee met ten times to discuss plans and designs for the town offices and police station. The architect met with each department head to establish actual space requirements.

The architects suggested a site plan incorporating a large Town Green with the town office set well back from the road. Space would be available for future buildings such as a Supervisory Union and Central Fire Station. Provision can be made for common use of such facilities as well, septic field, and access roads, for future buildings.

Test pits were dug in the proposed location, which revealed good foundation for grade construction. The construction cost estimate by the architect is approximately \$400,000, plus site work of approximately \$50,000 which met the committee cost objectives.

The Town Green concept and the functional building layout have received favorable comments from the town officers and many citizens.

The committee feels that the proposed plans represent the type of construction favored by most citizens, consistent with economical cost objectives.

The Committee

## **REPORT FROM THE LONDONDERRY HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

The new installation of officers for the Londonderry Historical Society was held in April 1977 at the Presbyterian Parish Hall with the election of: Mrs. Marilyn Ham, Vice-President, Mrs. Helen Reynolds, Recording Secretary, Mr. Albin Hall, Corresponding Secretary and Mr. James Nisula as Treasurer.

The activities of the Society had received a substantial boost in the introduction of a new column in the Derry News. We appreciate the opportunity to inform the community of our program devised by Mrs. Marilyn Ham. Mrs. Ferne Schmidtchen, Assistant Publisher of the Derry News made this feature column possible. "The New Spirit" was well received by the public.

A generous donation by one of our merchants allowed the Society to prepare a 16-page booklet to promote Londonderry and the Society to newcomers; since the design, layout and legwork was voluntary, the printer decided to add other related items to the booklet: stationery, a newsletter and an awards certificate at the price of the booklet itself. We are most grateful to these merchants and volunteers because it generated six individuals, two couples and one family of four, bringing a total of 14 new members to our Society.

Several evening meetings were held by Mrs. Helen Reynolds, Mr. Albin Hall, Mrs. Jessie Beckley and Mr. Melvin Watts to compile information on existing houses, structures and places of interest before 1850; a document in map form numbering and listing over 160 items was then given to Mr. Harry Poole to be used in the Master Plan of Londonderry. The listings were drawn onto a town map by the Society's President, Patrick Collins to be used as reference material.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack Shuler of Londonderry have donated rare, hand-painted walls to the Society. Members directed by Mr. James Garvin (who directed restoration at Strawberry Banke) removed the wall sections and placed them in storage to be viewed by the public when the Society establishes a home for its collection of artifacts and documents. Mr. Melvin Watts, local historian, descendant of the original owners of the house and curator of the Currier Art Gallery recognized the walls for their historical significance.

The Society has proclaimed Londonderry Common and environs as an historic district. Ordinances were presented to the town to establish a district and an Historic District Commission to oversee the project.

Respectfully submitted,  
Patrick Collins, President

**A REPORT FROM THE LONDONDERRY  
MEMBER OF THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY**

Improvements to the Airport completed during 1977 include a new access road off Brown Avenue, high intensity runway lights, and a new taxiway. Over one million dollars in Airport projects are planned for 1978, and will include runway improvements, snow removal equipment and a multi-purpose garage/fire station building.

Aircraft movements are up 19% over 1976. Contributing factors are the commencement of a commuter service (Precision Airlines) and an air freight service (Federal Express). Digital Corporation has recently moved to this area and base some of their corporate aircraft at the field. Several other large industries are also considering similar moves.

In December, the Manchester Airport was granted Customs designation as a "Landing Rights" airport. Now, aircraft arriving from a foreign country may land at the Airport on prearrangement with United States Customs Service. It is the only New Hampshire airport with such a Customs designation. This service will add tremendously to the Airport's capability and be a great benefit to present and future corporations in the area.

Charles Dike  
Member, Manchester  
Airport Authority



**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY, N.H.  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1977**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Place of Birth</b>	<b>Name of Child</b>	<b>Name of Father</b>	<b>Name of Mother</b>
<b>1976</b>				
November 25	Lawrence, Ma.	Maura Ann	Leo G. Guilfoyle	Mary E. Cunniffe
December 15	Manchester	Becky Lynn	William G. Jones	Sally J. Patnaude
18	Derry	Heather Melissa	Leon F. Lacasse	Marion L. Moro
25	Derry	Kristen Noel	Stephen P. Doyle	Jayne E. Mills
25	Nashua	Morgan Robert	Robert E. Carr	Kathleen A. Cleary
26	Derry	Michael Scott	Roy A. DeVoe	Margaret F. Hartwell
28	Manchester	Joan Marie	Leonard A. Bienvenue	Jacqueline R. Barbeau
29	Nashua	Michael George	Brian A. Howe	Brenda A. Delong
31	Manchester	Lori Ann	Edward A. Blair	Alyce M. Larose
<b>1977</b>				
January 1	Manchester	Jennifer Susan	Norman M. Vincent	Katherine R. Perna
2	Derry	Patrick Anthony	John R. Gamble	Grace M. Young
4	Nashua	Douglas Charles	Charles M. Ives	Susan D. Harris
4	Quincy, Ma.	Jennifer Marie	Robert J. Doherty	Susan E. Glora
6	Nashua	Amy Krystine Kathleen	John M. Majeran	Mary E. Ranck
8	Nashua	Suzanne Michelle	Gregory M. Murphy	Donna R. Cate
15	Lawrence, Ma.	Debra Jean	Angelo V. Flore	Marilyn J. Wilk
16	Nashua	Tamra Dawn	Kenneth E. Webster	Debra L. Brudzisz
17	Methuen, Ma.	Frederick Leroy, Jr.	Frederick L. Tinkham	Karen M. Jensen
20	Nashua	Laura Ann	Daniel H. Kiestlinger	Marcia D. Kelley
20	Methuen, Ma.	Joseph James	Daniel B. Rogers	Sharon M. Matte
21	Manchester	Josh Michael	Steven M. Belair	Terry A. Lapicier
23	Nashua	Daniel David	David A. Stone	Linda J. Goudreau
24	Manchester	Christina Margaret	Patrick M. Silva	Veronica J. Plante
25	Manchester	Allison	Leo E. VanSteenburg	Melanie A. Tull
27	Derry	James Paul	James S. Harris	Diane J. Paul
27	Derry	Michael Craig	Robert G. Stanley	Alice V. Surine
28	Nashua	Brad Raymond	Michael W. Beaulieu	Kathleen A. Cole
30	Lawrence, Ma.	Regina Elizabeth	William R. Simmons	Jane L. White



Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
February	Nashua	Holly Ann	Armand R. Asselin	Linda A. Greene
	Nashua	Jason Clark	Danie L. Sonia	Jill Adams
	Methuen, Ma.	Jessica Eve	Thomas J. Lenard	Nancy E. Jeffrey
	Derry	Leanne Ruth	Alan A. Flanders	Denise A. Bixby
	Derry	Jacob Brett	Norman O. Marler	Rebecca A. Wilson
	Nashua	Timothy Michael	Paul V. Bristol, Jr.	Theresa M. McCoy
	Derry	Matthew Thomas	David B. Arnold	Denise M. McCartney
	Derry	Erik Alan	James A. Gay	Sharon E. Manning
	Manchester	Rebecca Anne	James Stopherd	Irene T. Nowik
	Nashua	Sandy Simonee	Bertrand H. Couture	Paulette C. Turcotte
	Manchester	Michele Andrea	Kenneth A. Berman	Thelma C. Levy
	Methuen, Ma.	Richard Domenic	Ronald W. Becotte	Gail M. Lovett
	Derry	Ryan Louis	Leonard R. McLaughlin	Nancy D. Pingree
	Nashua	Kimberly Ann	Reginald W. Orifice	Anna M. Gero
	Winchester, Ma.	Kara Elizabeth	Thomas A. Aucella, Jr.	Sharon E. Greene
	Manchester	Christopher Monroe	Christopher B. Clifton	Jean Hurley
March	Methuen, Ma.	Brian Curtis	Theodore F. Price	Sandra F. Gray
	Nashua	Melissa Lyn	Robert D. Dion	Irene R. Porter
	Derry	Amanda Lynn	Alfred F. Murray	Sheila J. O'Connor
	Manchester	Maggie Christina	Alvin S. Werner	Patricia A. Skulas
	Concord	Matthew Keith	Ronald G. Garon	Kathleen A. McTighe
	Manchester	Sandra Ann	Peter F. Hague	Jocelyn A. Salois
	Manchester	Jude	John J. Regan	Sophia C. Esposito
	Haverhill, Ma.	Lisa Ann	Robert G. Lail	Carol A. Ayott
	Concord	Krista Marie	Edward J. Grzybicki	Ruth E. Dumeyer
	Manchester	Zachary Drew	Robert L. Johnson	Marilyn K. Drew
	Manchester	Brenna Lynn	Gregory W. Evans	Kathleen C. David
	Manchester	Peter Hewitt	Peter W. Linley	Caryl T. Lowman
	Manchester	Aaron Joseph	Paul E. Poirier	Karen L. Miller
	Derry	Jocelyn Renee	Barry W. Tyner	Constance M. Grattton
April	Exeter	Matthew Kent	George H. Sumner, Jr.	Susan M. Brown
	Manchester	Douglas Gordan	Miles K. Heisel	Gwen E. Wells

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
4	Methuen, Ma.	Laurie Ann	John P. McLaughlin	Candace F. Cooper
7	Methuen, Ma.	Joseph Paul	William J. Dolan, Jr.	Marcia A. Larkin
9	Manchester	Andrea Marie	Anthony J. D'Iorio	Yvonne M. Chadwick
11	Derry	Helen Elise	Guy A. Picard	Lillian R. Bouchard
13	Manchester	Tina Marie	William J. Cooper	Karen S. Flood
14	Nashua	John Phillip	Phillip M. Scanlan	Maureen E. MacQuestion
21	Manchester	Daniel James	James B. Gass	Jane C. Daly
21	Nashua	William Francis	John J. Edmunds	Heidi Schmidhofer
29	Lawrence, Ma.	Douglas Conrad	James P. Gerin	Lynette L. Behm
30	Manchester	David James	Douglas J. DeCosta	Linda M. Donahue
May	Methuen, Ma.	Stephan Allen, Jr.	Stephen A. Matte	Barbara J. Begg
	Nashua	Sara Helen	Carl N. Vogel	Maura H. Kelley
	Newton, Ma.	Laura Marie	Frank Criscione	Bruenhilde L. Dieken
	Derry	Tonya Lyn	Guilmond Boutot	Robin C. Nelan
	Nashua	Joshua James	James M. Williams	Laura S. Hawkins
	Manchester	Jennifer Marie	Bernard C. Brainard	Catherine J. Roberto
	Manchester	Christopher Michael	Wayne D. Sargent	Charlene A. LaFlamme
	Nashua	Benjamin Ralston	Thomas C. Rae	Diana M. Ralston
	Manchester	Matthew Charles	Andrew J. Czuchry	Sandra J. Phelps
	Manchester	Rebecca Joy	Gregory T. Burnell	Esther G. Weitzberg
25	Nashua	Jamie Ann	Brian J. Cornwell	Ginette S. Blais
27	Nashua	Christina Lee	Wayne G. Elwood	Linda A. Tucker
27	Nashua	Lori Danielle	Gerard L. Gauthier	Ellenor J. Fournier
27	Derry	Omara Yazamara	Julio R. Otera	Elizabeth Negron
1	Manchester	Michael Paul	Roy W. Hugenberger	Susan A. Elmore
8	Methuen, Ma.	Tracey Shannon	Gerald F. Welch	Jana S. Whitt
8	Manchester	Matthew David	Henry R. Vedrani	Nancy R. Stupak
10	Nashua	Kerry Lee	Kenneth L. Russell	Donna M. Zannoni
11	Manchester	Alex Evans	Steven G. Grattton	Cheryl M. Evans
14	Nashua	Christopher Whitney	Richard C. Pollock	Nancy L. Maltese
17	Manchester	Jason Stephen	David H. Lubin	Kathleen M. MacDougal
19	Manchester	Sarah Susan	Richard C. Lamb	Susan C. Brynn

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
July	Derry	Robert James	Neil H. Chulada	Kathleen M. McPhillips
	Derry	Michael Todd	Peter C. Abbott	Beverly J. Baker
	Manchester	Mark David	Victor R. Carbonneau	Karen L. Johnston
	Methuen, Ma.	William Thomas	William R. Demers	Catherine E. James
	Nashua	Carey Tipping	David L. Smith	Paula E. Tipping
	Windham	Allison Lee	Michael F. Kawczynski	Brenda J. Kucker
	Lawrence, Ma.	David Ross, Jr.	David R. Goodwin	Florence Pincince
	Manchester	Jared Vernon	James A. Low	Marion R. MacLeod
	Manchester	Angela Marie	Kenneth G. Perkins	Mary L. Veino
	Derry	Harold Donovan	Harold L. Jones	Donalyn W. Rulien
	Nashua	Megan Elizabeth	Carl P. Amann	Judie A. Gross
	Nashua	Tarah Christine	Timothy C. Mathieu	Dianne S. Rowe
	Manchester	Patricia Ann	Randolph W. Duerr	Kathleen F. Shero
	Manchester	Dawn-Marie	William J. Marazzi	Patricia A. Putis
	Derry	Richard Edward	Richard E. Currier	Heather M. Grecoe
	Manchester	Aaron Christopher	Ronald H. Hachez	Denise F. Bilodeau
	Manchester	Mark Connor	John Francis Grueter	Bonnie L. Malochleb
	Manchester	Jason Young	William M. Breen	Judy M. Young
	Nashua	Sean Joseph	Joseph J. Whall	Kathleen R. Amelio
	Manchester	Evan Scott	Jeffrey E. Beeton	Nancy M. Horwath
	Manchester	John Christopher	Jeffrey R. Brooks	Donna E. Jean
	Manchester	Melissa Dawn	Paul S. Forest	Tina E. Raymond
	Concord	Erica Dale	David M. Cote	Dale P. Cimikowski
	Exeter	Thomas Murray	David W. Mooney	Mary C. Garhart
	Manchester	Jessica Raye	John A. Mannarini	Donna R. Coffey
	Nashua	Kevin William	William R. Koval	Sandra L. Waniski
	Manchester	Kari Jean	John H. Dabrowski	Margaret J. Sarringar
	Manchester	Jeffrey Michael	Curtis M. Boles	Linda E. Lamb
	Nashua	Lauren Elizabeth	Carlos E. Avalos	Linda A. Loranger
	Manchester	Linda Jean	John P. Matuszewski	Elaine T. Meszar
	Nashua	---	Franklin A. Daly	Diane A. Midgley
	Derry	Daly	Franklin A. Daly	Diane A. Midgley
	Derry	---		
	Derry	---		
August				



Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
September	22 Nashua	Rebecca Ann	Joseph P. Rioux	Donna A. Simpson
	27 Manchester	Cynthia Anne	Randall L. Kleiner	Joanne M. Decarolis
	1 Nashua	Michael James	James V. Bowwers	Joan K. Larson
	1 Nashua	Christina Marie	Paul L. Wrobel	Suzanne L. Pearlman
	2 Manchester	John Nelson	Roger D. Hardy	Johanne D. Doyon
	2 Derry	Kimberly Jo	David P. Whitney	Elaine M. Tukianen
	3 Lawrence, Ma.	Melanie Lyn	Charles D. French	Margaret R. MacDonald
	4 Lawrence, Ma.	Scott Louis	Louis E. Dubois	Sharon L. Doyle
	5 Nashua	Carolyn Marie	Richard F. Hook	Jean E. Manchester
	8 Manchester	Rebecca Brooke	Donald M. Babin	Paula H. Hollingworth
	10 Manchester	Christopher Mays	Richard B. Johnson	Carol A. Mays
	10 Derry	Michael Richard	Richard F. Keegan, Jr.	Karen Hannon
	12 Manchester	Jillian	George A. Tyrrell	Jill A. Marchand
	12 Derry	Brianna Ruth	Lee T. Mari	Nancy L. Benson
	14 Manchester	Jason Michael	Mark D. Seavey	Suzanne M. Bourgeois
	15 Nashua	Tara Marie	Calvin T. Robinson	Calleen M. Christiansen
	15 Manchester	Crystal Lee	Steven M. Tomaselli	Sheri A. Marcotte
	16 Manchester	Kelly Lynn	Michael L. Klaubert	Karen A. Steady
	16 Manchester	Peter Donald	Kenneth D. Whitten	Dee A. Stone
	17 Manchester	Amy Lea	William L. Koyiades	Valerie L. St. Francois
	18 Nashua	Kristy Sue	Larry T. Savage	Laurie L. Swain
	19 Nashua	Vanessa Anne	Peter J. Cutbill	Sheila L. Roach
	20 Nashua	Carrie Ann	Donald G. Maines	Andrea S. LaJoie
	27 Derry	Stacey Jean	Paul A. Hamblett	Jeanne L. Giroux
	28 Methuen, Ma.	Beth Lynn	Donald A. D'Urso	Gail B. Joubert
	28 Manchester	Michelle Ann	John T. Debettencourt	Marianne Catalano
	29 Manchester	Theresa Marie	Alan R. Sleeper, II	Donna M. Duquette
	30 Manchester	Helena Elisabeth	Thomas F. Kimball	Helga P. Lischer
October	1 Methuen, Ma.	Richard Scott	Philip J. Lynch, Jr.	Christine A. Schimpf
	3 Derry	Erica Jean	Travis F. Scogin	Linda G. Giroux
	5 Concord	Benjamin George	Richard F. Cormier	Marilyn L. LeBlanc
	5 Lawrence, Ma.	Jason Anthony	Steven G. Ottariano	Anne M. Hachey



Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
7	Nashua	Nicole Danielle	Mark B. Preman	Phyllis Bogush
12	Nashua	Luke John	Michael R. Bever	Char L. McMillan
13	Concord	Patrick	Robert F. Mullen	Barbara G. Gaskin
13	Derry	Michelle Leigh	Roger P. Proulx	Nancy Kloskowski
14	Nashua	Jeffrey George	Raymond G. Ouellette	Edith M. Drew
17	Nashua	Leah Marie	Raymond R. Lombard	Shirley A. Morin
17	Manchester	Carina Marie	Wayne A. Flanders	Lois E. Geiger
22	Manchester	Corey Dennis	Dennis F. Ouellette	Barbara A. Young
23	Nashua	David Andrew	David G. Money	Judy E. Lorette
24	Nashua	Joanna	Cornelius J. Grimmins	Katherine Phelps
25	Methuen, Ma.	Jenna Lis	Laurent G. Dube, Jr.	Karen I. Ohnesorge
26	Methuen, Ma.	Anthony Quinn	Domenico Napolitano	Joan D. Quinn
28	Nashua	Jeremy Lee	Kenneth M. Brewer	Cheryl A. Carskaddon
30	Manchester	Benjamon Alan	Alan B. Crosbie	Susan L. Robidoux
November 3	Derry	Bonnie Lynn	Mario S. Balsamo	Linda A. White
5	Manchester	David Robert	Robert P. Maibauer	Patricia E. Eaton
6	Derry	Scott Edward	William B. Shirk	Carol S. Brewster
8	Nashua	Brian Eugene	Arthur M. Summo	Claudia J. Bragg
8	Nashua	Rebecca Evelyn	Charles A. Spencer	Deborah A. Brown
11	Nashua	Michael Thomas	Joel Weber	Sheryl A. Pratt
13	Concord	Jason Ryan	Jerome E. Frew	Joan E. Thompson
16	Concord	Jeffrey Thomas	Thomas E. Space	Susan M. Walsh
16	Manchester	Lenore Louise	Mario J. Fournier	Joyce L. Lindbloom
17	Concord	Benjamin Shaffer	Lee E. DeBell	Charlotte E. Hutton
24	Methuen, Ma.	Kevin Warren	Warren J. Kopf	Nancy M. Hatton
25	Derry	George Louis	Nicanor Rodriguez	Biridina M. Reyes
28	Lawrence, Ma.	Leah Marie	Gerard L. Croteau	Sharon Cunningham
December 1	Manchester	Richard Paul, Jr.	Richard P. Roy	Denise L. Langlois
5	Nashua	Emery Alan	Donald E. Noel	Martha L. Kerouac
6	Manchester	Elizabeth Anne	Arthur T. Psaledas	Elinor G. Robinson
6	Nashua	Erin Elizabeth	William F. Davidson	Maury B. McFee
9	Derry	Gina Marie	Theodore P. Theos	Mary L. Willey

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
16	Nashua	Brian Charles	Joseph C. Ghiloni, Jr.	Margaret C. Lally
16	Manchester	Matthew Stephen	Richard S. Fawcett	Patricia L. Massari
16	Derry	Kristen Michelle	Robert J. Campbell	Sally A. Mirey
17	Nashua	Kelly Casteel	Robert W. McFarland	Anjanette Ferrell
17	Concord	Kelly Lynne	George F. Russell, III	Elizabeth M. Berrelli
19	Manchester	Jill Marie	Anthony D. Oliveri	Susan E. Peterson
22	Manchester	Stephen Michael	Joseph E. Funk	Gloria M. Bailey
22	Rochester	Franklin Leigh	Jeffrey C. Taylor	Avelyn J. May
24	Nashua	James Freeman IV	James F. Kizer, III	Sandra M. DeYoung
27	Derry	Michael William	William E. Horrigan	Gloria Jean McNelley
28	Manchester	Daniel Patrick	Richard J. St. Pierre	JoAnn Filsinger

# **MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERY, N.H.** For the year ending December 31, 1977

<b>Date</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Name of Groom</b>	<b>Name of Bride</b>	<b>Performed By</b>
<b>1976</b>				
December 23	Londonderry	Elbert A. Lynde	Nancy M. Woody	Irving S. Jones, Minister
<b>1977</b>				
January 8	Derry	Louis N. Guertin	Marie E. Buyck	David G. Lajoie, Priest
8	Londonderry	Ross Robert Humer	Judith Ellen Brenneman	Edmund J. Boutin, Justice
8	Plastow	Peter Kevin Bakanosky	Jennifer Walsh	Richard L. Provencher, Priest
10	Londonderry	Kenneth E. Webster	Debra Lynn Brudzisz	Irving S. Jones, Minister
14	Salem	Fernand A. Duquette	Ann Marie Quinn	Richard C. Mushes, Priest
16	Londonderry	Martin E. Beebe	Ellen Marie Reilly	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
28	Derry	Todd W. O'Keefe	Mary Lou Ward	C. C. Papineau, Justice
February 5	Troy	Douglas R. Pattelena	Patricia A. Formica	Robert D. Morton, Justice
11	Londonderry	Augustine J. Sheedy	Dawn C. Stockbridge	Irving S. Jones, Minister
12	Derry	Paul L. Wrobel	Suzanne Lee Pearlman	Frank McKune, Priest
14	Amherst	Jeremy F. Gilmore	Susan T. Halias	Edmund J. Boutin, Justice
18	Londonderry	Clayton E. Lovely	Kathryn B. Tortolano	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
23	Londonderry	Peter C. Particelli	Cynthia L. Stancato	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
27	Hooksett	Earl M. McGettigan	Linda L. Morrisette	Irving S. Jones, Minister
March 5	Manchester	Kenneth P. Evans	Melanie J. Birmingham	Robert H. Lievens, Justice
7	Londonderry	Ronald A. Caron	Erin M. Collupy	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
12	Hudson	Armand A. Gould	Penny L. Cummings	Irving S. Jones, Minister
18	Manchester	Phillip L. Gibeau	Rosemary J. Young	Maurice J. Cote, Justice
25	Pembroke	Mark D. Seavey	Suzanne M. Bourgeois	Shirley S. Snow, Justice
26	Salem	Todd J. Battles	Jean Arnault	Elliot Fair, Jr., Minister
26	Hudson	Paul H. Wright	Leslie A. Horner	Elwin E. Gault, Minister
April 1	Manchester	Laurent P. Fortin	Betty A. Charpentier	Andre M. Thibodeau, Priest
2	Bedford	Robert E. Kelley	Jean C. Livingston	James Scotland, Jr., Pastor
9	Londonderry	Robert D. Hills	Jeanne H. McDonald	Irving S. Jones, Minister
9	Manchester	Peter C. Coldwell	Lorraine A. DeChiaro	Daniel W. Fenner, Pastor
15	Londonderry	Raeburn S. Sherbut	Yvette R. Provencher	Edmund G. Crowley, Priest



Date	Place	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Performed By
May	16 Londonderry	Richard F. LaBrie	Ellen L. Cook	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	22 Londonderry	Gordon F. McKenney	Pamela L. Hardy	Marcel A. Major, Minister
	23 Londonderry	Donald R. Forbes, Jr.	Sandra A. Routhier	Alec A. Mahfuz, Minister
	29 Derry	Brian P. McCarthy	Gayle J. Paradis	Carlton Cockey, Pastor
	30 Londonderry	Donald R. LaBarre	Robin E. Forsythe	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	7 Berlin	Clement D. Bouchard	Shirley A. Helie	Gregoire R. Dumon, Priest
	7 Manchester	Wayne N. Rogers	Marsha J. Nickerson	Francis E. Kelso, Priest
	8 Londonderry	Owen R. Leighton, Jr.	Muriel H. M. Carter	C. C. Papineau, Justice
	14 Bedford	William D. Morse	Linda L. Dungan	James Scotland, Jr., Pastor
	14 Manchester	Thomas A. Young	Cindy L. Greenwood	David B. Shirley, Minister
	14 Londonderry	Robert W. Snook, Jr.	Sandra L. Steenbergen	Donna M. Kizer, Justice
	20 Londonderry	David E. Gile	Ivy J. Downing	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	20 Manchester	Jeffrey A. Carlaw	Susanne M. Hebert	John Horan, Priest
	21 Londonderry	Clifford J. Flood	Deborah L. McQuarrie	Donna M. Kizer, Justice
	24 Londonderry	William W. Mish IV	Velvie J. Smith	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	27 Londonderry	Michael B. Marcotte	Susan L. Poissonnier	John E. Hancock, Minister
	28 Salem	Robert W. Gale	Eveline C. Lemieux	John H. Lamprey, Justice
	28 Pelham	John W. Reale	Loraine M. Lemieux	Leo A. Shea, Priest
	30 Derry	Douglas V. Thompson	Cheryl A. Proctor	David G. Lajoie, Priest
	3 June Londonderry	Juan F. Fermin	Darlean S. Battle	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	4 Derry	Dennis F. Ouellette	Barbara A. Young	David G. Lajoie, Priest
	4 Salem	Wiley E. Woodall	Annette O. Tiffany	David V. Weaver, Clergy
	10 Londonderry	Neil H. Chulada	Kathleen M. McPhillips	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	11 Londonderry	Frank J. Cimlier, Jr.	Constance H. Cressy	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	18 Derry	Charles E. Frazer	Bessie B. Jerry	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	18 Londonderry	David M. Hill	Nancy M. Arseneault	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	18 Hampstead	Alan G. Ball	Debra A. Barry	Michael J. Griffin, Priest
	18 Londonderry	Thomas A. Ayotte	Jennie E. Smith	Donald Gilbert, Priest
	18 Hudson	Frank J. Griffin	Mary E. Buckley	Richard Thompson, Priest
	19 Londonderry	Richard E. Terrio	Brenda M. Harrow	Arthur Fortin, Justice
	19 Derry	George B. Woodard, Jr.	Janice A. Carpenter	Ron Turner, Minister
	25 Londonderry	Donald R. Hazelton, Jr.	Jeanne M. Carlile	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	25 Londonderry	Kyle B. Bigham	Alice M. Bagnall	Joan C. Tuck, Justice



Date	Place	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Performed By
July	1 Auburn	Donald R. Allaire	Ellen M. Fox	Edward Knott, Priest
	2 Derry	Glenn A. Boisvert	Trudy P. Pingree	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	2 Londonderry	Timothy C. Bruen	Erin M. Norwood	Robert D. Johnson, Minister
	2 Londonderry	James B. Jorgensen	Shannon M. LeBrun	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	2 Londonderry	Richard A. Fedas	Debra A. Hartung	Irving S. Jones, Minister
August	3 Londonderry	John VanNierop	Judith M. Neal	Joseph A. Lacopolis, Justice
	13 Derry	Edward J. Buckus	Lynne E. Temple	C. C. Papineau, Justice
	6 Londonderry	Kenneth E. Bloom	Debra J. DeCato	William R. Keefe, Clergy
	6 Londonderry	David J. LaMontagne	Donna L. Huntley	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	6 Londonderry	Richard F. Parker, Jr.	Josephine A. D'Ambra	Donald Gilbert, Priest
	6 Manchester	Philip K. Martin	Sherry L. Clark	Joseph Klatka, Priest
	13 Derry	Stephen A. Colby	Rose M. LaRochelle	David Lajoie, Priest
	20 Londonderry	William R. Christian	Susan G. Andrews	Gerald R. Joyal, Priest
	26 Londonderry	Normand J. Labrie	Donna M. Velt	Thomas P. Donnelly, Priest
	3 September	Richard C. Barrows	Janith L. Westcott	Thomas H. Graves, Clergy
	3 Manchester	David J. Farnham	Karen J. Blackwood	Willard P. Soper, Pastor
	4 Goffstown	Raymond F. Bower	Lianne M. Briggs	David G. Lajoie, Priest
	7 Londonderry	Nicholas A. Moccia	Denise L. Finn	Doris N. Iodice, Justice
	10 Londonderry	Edward Pingree	JoAnne R. Lapointe	Donald Gilbert, Priest
	10 Manchester	William J. Desrosiers, Jr.	Cindy L. Shropshire	Willard B. Soper, Pastor
	10 Salem	Peter M. Lind	Nicole D. Cyr	Edgar M. Chandler, Minister
	14 Londonderry	Kenneth R. Hill	Diane C. Parent	Stephen Konides, Minister
	17 New Hampton	George A. Cornuet	Virginia V. Smith	Everett E. Palmer, Minister
	17 Derry	Stephen E. Edwards	Charlene J. Fortin	Frank McKune, Priest
	17 Londonderry	Steven N. Paradis	Linda L. Durgin	Donna M. Kizer, Justice
October	18 Hudson	Kenneth J. Marston	Julie A. Ross	Everett R. Scruton, Minister
	24 Manchester	Mark R. Zarothy	Marcia A. Greene	James E. Watson, Minister
	29 Londonderry	Kenneth M. Warren	Dorothy J. Mills	Irving S. Jones, Minister
	1 Londonderry	Kenneth F. Smith	Bessie R. Gray	Hubert J. Topliff, Minister
	7 Berlin	Claude F. Parent	Janine L. Leveille	Paul E. Groleau, Priest
	8 Londonderry	Gary A. Webster	Sandra J. Thompson	Thomas B. Donnelly, Priest
	8 Manchester	Thomas C. Wand	Marlene Haines	Phillip Quintal, Bishop

Date	Place	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Performed By
15	Hudson	Thomas A. Sutton	Nancy G. Manning	Ellwyn J. H. Nichols, Priest
15	Londonderry	Robert D. Enochs	Judith A. McGillen	Helene E. Gerry, Justice
15	Manchester	James A. Tseronis	Laura J. Whalen	Willard B. Soper, Pastor
15	Londonderry	Kenneth T. Bosies	Rose G. Kane	Robert K. Reese, Justice
21	Nashua	Richard M. Norley	Dorothy D. Hinckley	Kenneth E. Churbuck, Justice
22	Londonderry	Hercules Pappachristos	Marilyn A. Preston	Irving S. Jones, Minister
22	Londonderry	Mark C. Thompson	Rebecca J. Nugent	Donna M. Kizer, Justice
23	Londonderry	Donald R. LaFleur	Anne L. Breen	Irving S. Jones, Minister
29	Londonderry	James M. Welch	Bonnie J. Avery	Robert Stratton, Justice
November 2	Derry	Dennis W. Webb	Ruth E. West	Clarence C. Papineau, Justice
4	Londonderry	Paul A. Doyon	Carole C. Kelly	Shirley M. Anstey, Justice
4	Nashua	Frederick E. Brack	Glenda G. Cochran	John D. Wilcox, Justice
11	Londonderry	Ernest R. Raddatz	Mary E. Hayes	Michael Thornhill, Justice
18	Pelham	Camille L. Lynch	Mary C. Yang	Mary R. Stack, Justice
19	Derry	Dean L. Holdren	Ann M. Ariniello	Alan W. Goodchild, Justice
19	Londonderry	Richard A. Racicot	Patricia A. Robarge	Irving S. Jones, Minister
24	Nashua	Robert A. Androski	Sharyn S. Smith	Jerome L. Silvestein, Justice
26	Londonderry	Eugene C. Berube	Jayne L. Taylor	Irving S. Jones, Minister
December 3	Londonderry	Robert C. Trombley	Violet R. Frenette	Donald Gilbert, Priest
3	Londonderry	Paul C. Gregoire	Jeri-Ann Pelletier	Joseph Griffin, Minister
9	Derry	Henry A. Belanger	Alice V. Jacques	Frank McKune, Priest
10	Derry	Franklin F. Greene	Doris L. Lacasse	Robert C. Anderson, Pastor
10	Londonderry	Andrew A. MacKenzie	Marsha P. Sawyer	Robert A. Crurckshank, Clergy
10	Manchester	Lawrence E. Walters	Elizabeth M. Mezzapelle	Willard B. Soper, Pastor
30	Londonderry	Knute W. Sundstrom	Jeannette R. Bonnette	Doris N. Iodice, Justice

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LONDONDERRY, N.H.**  
**For the Year Ending December 31, 1977**

Date	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	State of Birth
January	Londonderry	Clifton Rice	69	Mass.
	Londonderry	Marion E. Moody	64	N.H.
	Nashua	Hilda F. Mathews	65	-----
February	Derry	Irene M. Cook	61	N.H.
	Manchester	Beatrice M. Backman	71	N.H.
March	Derry	Margaret E. Shute	79	Mass.
	Hanover	Krista M. Grzybicki	15 hrs., 13 mins.	N.H.
April	Derry	Leon P. Marcotte	90	Canada
	Londonderry	Eleanor A. Meyer	73	N.H.
	Derry	Hervey L. Burelle	76	N.H.
	Derry	Fred E. Martin	44	Mass.
	Boston, Ma.	Romeo D. Martel	49	N.H.
	Nashua	Dorothy F. Breen	68	Mass.
	Manchester	Alexander Medico	89	Italy
	Derry	Robert J. Martineau	35	Mass.
	Goffstown	Florence E. Moody	92	N.H.
	Derry	Amanda M. Bellemore	92	Canada
	Manchester	Donald Tanner	63	R.I.
	Manchester	Dorothy M. Anagnos	57	N.H.
	Windham	Roger G. Landry	19	N.H.
May	Derry	John L. Flood	77	Canada
	Londonderry	Thomas E. Kierstead	79	Mass.
	Derry	Nettie S. Higgins	85	Mass.
June	Derry	Allen R. Gardner	71	Utah
	Londonderry	Elliot L. Jennings	33	Mass.
	Hanover	Allison Kayczynski	2 days	N.H.
	Derry	Everett H. Bromley	80	N.H.
July	Derry	Leigh H. Nesmith	68	N.H.
	Manchester	Jody A. Tucker	1 hr. 59 mins.	N.H.
	Franklin	Olan A. Rand	74	N.H.



Date	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	State of Birth
August	Manchester	Richard S. Ratten	57	Maine
	Derry	Celina M. Larochele	88	Maine
	Derry	Catherine J. Benoît	68	Mass.
	Derry	Theodore Wolfe	53	N.Y.
September	Manchester	Emile Bilodeau	70	N.H.
	Derry	Baby Boy "A" Daly	1 hr.	N.H.
	Derry	Baby Boy "B" Daly	1 hr.	N.H.
	Milford	Anna M. Macauley	84	Canada
	Manchester	Reginald V. Eddy	69	N.H.
	Derry	Edward A. Pelletier	70	N.H.
	Manchester	Andrew J. Charette	76	Mass.
	Manchester	Gerald E. Blueit	52	Mass.
	Derry	Harry P. Gallien, Sr.	70	N.H.
	Stoneham, Mass.	Edna G. Henriques/Nee Parke	79	Jamaica, B.W.I.
October	Derry	Mildred M. Fraser	82	Vt.
	Manchester	Arthur E. Hebert	70	N.H.
	Derry	John Carchide, Jr.	46	Mass.
	Nashua	James A. Bazin	17	N.H.
	Nashua	Kelly R. Corson	2 hrs.	N.H.
	Manchester	Richard A. Maitner	2	Mass.
November	Manchester	Lillian M. Hall	76	N.H.
	Manchester	Grace B. Mullaney	78	Mass.
	Derry	Lea A. Durette	70	N.H.
	Manchester	Ernest M. Berry	63	N.H.
	Derry	Mildred E. Pinkham	82	N.H.
	Derry	Leo P. Gallien	70	N.H.
December	Derry	Frederick H. Bennett	70	Vt.
	Derry	Clarence W. Bates	82	N.Y.
	Derry	Marion L. Aul	72	N.Y.
	Brentwood	Henry Theiss	91	Penn.
	Derry	Rose A. Durette	74	Mass.
	Londonderry	Howard A. Lindley	73	N.H.
	Derry	Alma Shefchuk	79	N.J.
				Latvia



**BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL**  
**For the Year Ending December 31, 1977**

Date	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age
January	Londonderry	Marion E. Moody	64
February	Nashua	Wilfred A. Moquin	56
	Derry	Irene M. Cook	61
	Manchester	Beatrice M. Backman	71
	Lynn, Mass.	Edwin W. Page	89
March	Lowell, Mass.	Irene Bergeron	71
April	Derry	Leon P. Marcotte	90
	Derry	Hervey L. Burelle	76
	Derry	Fred E. Martin	44
	Nashua	Dorothy F. Breen	68
	Manchester	Alexander Medico	89
	Boston, Mass.	Sophia Lamperti	2
May	Goffstown	Florence E. Moody	92
	Derry	Amanda L. Bellemore	92
	Windham	Roger G. Landry	19
June	Londonderry	Elliot L. Jennings	33
	Hanover	Allison Kawczynski	2 days
July	Derry	Leigh H. Nesmith	68
	Manchester	Jody A. Tucker	1 hr. 59 mins.
	Manchester	Terry L. Chappell	15
	Haverhill, Mass.	Isabelle Sosnauskas	89
	Franklin	Alan A. Rand	74
	Derry	Alina M. Larochele	88
	Palmdale, Calif.	Thomas P. Grady	32
August	Derry	Catherine J. Benoit	68
	Granville, N.Y.	Edward G. Ray	61
September	Manchester	Reginald V. Eddy	69
	Derry	Edward A. Pelletier	70
	Manchester	Andrew J. Charette	76

Date	Place of Death	Named of Deceased	Age
October	Derry	Harry P. Gallien, Sr.	70
	Manchester	Gerald E. Blueit	52
	Derry	John Carchide, Jr.	46
	Nashua	Kelly R. Corson	2 hrs.
	Manchester	Richard A. Maitner	2
November	Manchester	Lillian M. Hall	76
	Derry	Lea A. Durette	70
	Manchester	Ernest M. Berry	63
	Derry	Mildred E. Pinkham	82
	Derry	Leo Phillip Gallien	70
December	Derry	Clarence W. Bates	82
	Lawrence, Mass.	Marie A. Gibeau	84
	Derry	Marion L. Aul	72
	Derry	Rose A. Durette	74
	Boston, Mass.	Anthony Yetka	52

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALICE M. TAYLOR  
Town Clerk



**Annual Reports**  
**of the**  
**School Board**  
**Treasurer, Auditors**  
**Superintendent of Schools**  
**and**  
**Department Heads**  
**of the**  
**Londonderry School District**





**LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977**

**Moderator**

**ANDREW C. MACK**

**Clerk**

**CATHERINE P. HOBBS**

**Treasurer**

**MYRTLE A. POND**

**School Board**

**ROWLAND H. SCHMIDTCHEN, Chairman**

**ROBERT W. LINCOLN**

**JAMES N. CASSOTIS**

**PATRICIA A. HICKEY**

**LISA M. WHITEMORE**

**Superintendent of Schools**

**DOUGLASS B. ROBERTS**

**Business Administrator**

**NORMAND A. TANGUAY**

**Principals**

**DONALD JOBIN**

**North School**

**ROBERT SHEA**

**Matthew Thornton School**

**CHARLES STORTSTROM**

**Middle/Junior High School**

**School Nurses**

**ARLENE EARLY, R.N.**

**MARILYN HAM, R.N.**

**CLAIRE HUNTER, R.N.**

**Attendance Officer**

**FREDERICK BALL**

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district of the town of Londonderry qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Matthew Thornton School in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1978 at six o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose two (2) Members of the School Board for the ensuing years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands at said Londonderry this 21st day of February, 1978.

Robert W. Lincoln  
James N. Cassotis  
Edward J. Newcombe  
Rowland H. Schmidtchen  
Lisa M. Whittemore  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

Robert W. Lincoln  
James N. Cassotis  
Edward J. Newcombe  
Rowland H. Schmidtchen  
Lisa M. Whittemore  
School Board

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Londonderry qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Matthew Thornton School in said district on the tenth day of March, 1978, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125,000, or any other sum, for the purpose of renovating Phase I of the Londonderry High School, such renovation to include eliminating open classrooms and establishing a high school library.
2. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,225, or any other sum, for the purpose of renovating the North Londonderry Elementary School, such renovation to include eliminating open classrooms. (This Article is submitted by request.)
3. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for fees or architectural and other consultants for additional school facilities.
4. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$18,000 for the purpose of completing the athletic field construction authorized at the last Annual District Meeting.
5. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,900, or any other sum, for the payment of physical examinations for students in the Junior and Senior High School who wish to participate in interscholastic athletics. The School District will continue to make payment for such physical examinations until voted otherwise by a duly called Londonderry School District Meeting.
6. To see if the District will approve the wage and salary ranges for all salary levels in all personnel categories as established by the Londonderry Wage and Salary Committee for the 1978-1979 school district fiscal year.
7. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,353,648 to fund all "cost items" relating to teachers' salaries and benefits for the 1978-1979 school year, of which \$186,936 is the sum required to fund increased costs as a result of negotiations with the Londonderry Education Association.
8. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries and benefits for School District officials and agents other than benefits and salaries payable to teachers, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District.
9. To see if the District will vote to initiate a football program in September, 1978, at the Londonderry High School and raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000 for the cost of same during the 1978-1979 school year. (This Article is submitted by request.)



10. To see if the District will vote to initiate a lacrosse program in September, 1978, at the Londonderry High School and raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 for the cost of same during the 1978-1979 school year. (This Article is submitted by student request.)

11. To see if the District will vote to change the entrance age policy for children entering first grade from the present cut-off date of September 30th to December 31st, thereby giving the voters of Londonderry the chance to make their own decision on this matter. (BY PETITION.)

12. To see if the District will vote to exchange a portion of the Londonderry School District owned land shown as Parcel 9A, Map 4, of the Londonderry Property Tax Maps for not less than an equal amount of land adjacent to the South Elementary School now owned by Bowden, the purpose of the exchange of land being to separate the driveway entrance to the South Elementary School from the entrance to the Bowden property; further, that this exchange of land be done at no cost to the School District and that the School Board be authorized to take any and all action necessary to effect the transfer of land ownership.

13. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to contract with a qualified independent auditing firm or the Department of Revenue Administration for the fiscal year financial audit in accordance with the laws of the State of New Hampshire. Said authorization to remain in effect until such time as the District votes otherwise.

14. To hear reports of agents and auditors and committees or officers chosen and pass any vote in relation thereto.

15. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to accept and to spend in the name of and in behalf of the School District gifts for the use of schools.

16. To see if the School District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, negotiate and do all other things necessary to obtain such State, Federal, or other funds, grants or aids, including Public Law 89-10, Public Law 89-313, Public Law 93-203, Public Law 93-380, Public Law 93-564, Public Law 94-142, Public Law 94-444, Public Law 94-482, and Public Law 95-49, as may be made available to the School District or its students, and to authorize the School Board to expend the same.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting, including the appointment of committees.

Given under our hands at said Londonderry this 21st day of February, 1978.

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## **REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SCHOOL BOARD**

On behalf of the School Board it is a privilege to report to you some of the activities of the Board during the past year.

### **Policy**

During the past year the Board has undertaken the task of updating its entire policy manual. Presently about 75% of all of the Board's policies have been updated and the job should be completed sometime in the spring. The review and revision during the year makes it clear that such an important document needs to be under constant review to maintain it as a vital document. A copy of the policies will be located at each school, the supervisory union office, and the Town library when the revision is completed.

### **Buildings**

During the past year Phase III and IV of the high school was started and the building should be completed on time for the opening of the high school in September, 1978. In the fall the South Elementary School was started and this building is on schedule and should also be ready for opening this September.

This past year saw another large increase in the school population. When the high school and elementary schools open this fall all schools will be close to capacity. If the current rate of increase continues, then additional facilities will be required by the school year 1979-1980.

### **Staff**

In the fall the School Board appointed Mr. Edmond Thibodeau as the High School Principal. Mr. Thibodeau came to us from Salem, New Hampshire, and the Board is confident he will make an excellent principal for our high school. Mr. Charles Stortstrom was appointed Assistant Principal of the High School; and Mrs. Joanne Helweg was appointed Principal of the South Elementary School effective this fall. Also during the fall the Board appointed Mr. Kenneth Brewer of Londonderry as Coordinator of Guidance and Pupil Services for the school system.

In September, the School Board also appointed two new teachers to the Londonderry school system.

### **Finance**

The School Board during the past year has worked closely with the Budget and the Wage & Salary Committees. With the addition of the high school this fall, it seems apparent that the schools should be seriously looking into the complete computerization of its financial system.

### **Growth**

The School Board has been actively involved with the Town's Grown Committee. During the past two years the School Board has taken a complete census of the school population both present and future. The census not only gives us data for population growth, but it also gives us vital information on our special needs students.

In closing, I would like to mention several people who have made

valuable contributions to the School District during the last year: Fire Chief David Hicks and Building Inspector Richard Hodgman who conscientiously inspect the school buildings and help us maintain a high level of safety for the school children; and Road Agent Richard Moore and his highway crew for their continued fine support in maintaining the condition of the school parking lots and in assisting our school buses as they travel the roads of the town. I would also like to thank all those citizens who have served the school system as committee members and/or school volunteers; and especially the administrators and staff members for their support.

Respectfully submitted,  
Robert W. Lincoln, Chairman



# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

1976-77

I am pleased to submit my third annual report. Major focuses of the superintendent's office during the year have been (1) progress toward completion of Londonderry High School, (2) provision of facilities for increasing enrollments and relocation of grades five and six, and (3) provision of appropriate educational experiences for the handicapped.

Bids for construction of Phases III and IV of the High School were solicited and received on January 25, 1977. Low bidder was Salem Engineering and Construction Corporation who was awarded the contract. The bonds for this project were also sold in January at the exceptionally good rate of 5.25%. Construction began during the Spring and as of the close of the school year steel was being erected.

Paralleling the construction phase equal attention was given to curriculum development. Starting with exhaustive conferences with state consultants, a general curricular outline, on which building design and equipment layouts were base, took shape under the co-direction of the Programs and Courses Task Force and the Building Task Force. Near the close of the year curricular development work designed to flesh out the skeleton outline was reactivated and will continue during the next school year in preparation for the 1978 opening.

A final issue relevant to the high school is the question of whether Seniors and, possibly Juniors, will be allowed to complete their high school careers in their present schools. This issue will be resolved in September at a special school district meeting.

Spurred by the critical need for relocating grades five and six when the high school opens and by the steady, rapid growth of the school population, a major effort was made to provide additional classroom space. Through the efforts of the Elementary Alternatives Study Committee, Steven Bresee, Chairperson, a bond issue for a new elementary school received a successful vote at the annual school district meeting. Subsequently an Elementary Building Committee was formed, and under Chairperson Joyce Heinrich has undertaken the task of developing the final design and overseeing construction by working with architects Isaak and Isaak of Manchester.

Enrollment continues to grow. September, 1976, enrollments stood at 1754 elementary and 629 high school students. By April the elementary enrollment had grown to 1810. Since the comparable enrollment a year earlier in April, 1976, was 1633, the increase of 177 pupils, or 10.8%, was not only phenomenal but qualified Londonderry for state guarantee on the bonds for the new elementary school. The budget for 1977-78 was prepared on an estimate of 1880 elementary pupils and 705 high school students. As of July 1, actual elementary registration stands at 1867. Actual high school registrations will not be known until September.

A complete house to house census of children was conducted for the school district in October by the Londonderry Women's Club. After statistical adjustment for minor counting and recording errors, the census revealed an age 0 to age 18 population in Londonderry of 3837. Significant is

the fact that 1210 pre-school children ages 0 to 5 years were identified. Londonderry, unlike many communities in New Hampshire and neighboring states, is growing!

The third major focus of this office this year — providing for education of the handicapped — was in many ways the most difficult and frustrating to cope with. An extraordinary growth in demand for services, coupled with limited local resources, almost non-existent state funds, very limited out-of-district educational resources, and severe space limitations created a serious logistical problem that has every potential of growing to gigantic proportions. Only through the untiring efforts of dedicated staff and resources available through SERESC (see below) were we able to keep up.

The Southeastern Regional Educational Service Center (SERESC), a consortium of school unions of which Londonderry is a part, has provided much welcome help by capturing state and federal dollars unavailable to local districts and by providing, by joint effort, services that a single district would find exorbitant. Services provided were: assistance in diagnosis of handicaps, a class for emotionally handicapped adolescents, a class for mentally retarded adolescents, inservice training for teachers, a low vision program, a materials center, research, planning, and consultation. While an audit of the '76-'77 year has not been completed, the records for the previous year show Londonderry receiving \$16,444 worth of services on a contribution of \$3,136 in local funds, the excess coming from state and federal dollars captured by SERESC.

Several other activities deserve mention. For the second year all pupils in grades 3 to 8 were given the Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills. While our school children achieved significantly higher than the national averages in all categories, based on comparing our children's achievement with their own expected level of performance, the 1976 results identified important needs in language in grades 3, 4, and 6 and in Math in grades 3, 4, and 5. Significant strengths were revealed in math — grade 8, reference skills — grade 5, science — grade 7, and social studies — grade 7. The 1977 results reveal increased superiority of our students over the national average and significant gains over the previous year in the following:

- Reading — grades 3, 4, 8
- Language — grades 3, 4
- Math — grades 3, 4, 5
- Reference skills — grades 3, 4, 7
- Science — grade 8

Only language in grade 6 remains an important need, and to further meet this need a staff committee has been formed to analyze causes and to recommend curriculum changes.

At the annual elections in March Lisa Whittemore was re-elected for a three year term to replace Patricia Hickey who had declined to seek re-election. Edward Newcombe was elected to the one year term vacated by Mrs. Whittemore's change. Following the election, the Board re-organized with Robert Lincoln as Chairman succeeding Rowland Schmidtchen who had served with distinction since 1976. James Cassotis was elected Vice-Chairman.

During the year the Center for Education Field Services (CEFS) based at University of New Hampshire, Durham, conducted a comprehensive policy review and recommendation project for the Londonderry Board. The results of this project were submitted to the Board in June and will be thoroughly studied, and appropriate policies adopted, by the Board during the coming year.

Personally I have continued to serve on the state wide Professional Standards Committee of the Joint Educational Council that has succeeded in having included in new teacher training standards the strengthening of competencies in reading and mathematics and the requirement for competencies in appropriately dealing with handicapped children within the regular classroom. In June I was honored to accept an appointment by Commissioner Brunelle to the newly formed New Hampshire Community Education Council. Representative William Boucher, a former school board chairman, is also an appointee and I believe Londonderry is the only town in the state to have two members on this important council.

In closing I wish to gratefully acknowledge the help and support of the entire staff, and in particular my close associates in the Supervisory Union office, without whose dedicated service this organization would suffer greatly. I also want to thank the School Board and District for their support of my efforts to effectively serve the school children of Londonderry.



## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

The 1976-1977 school year in Londonderry proved to be a very productive year and I am pleased to report briefly on the major accomplishments in the financial areas.

The school lunch program served an average of 970 students per day with a 54% participation rate. We were able to again offer students meals for \$ .50 while maintaining a self-supportive program.

The School District records, lunch program records, and building fund records for 1976-1977 have been audited and are available for inspection at the supervisory union office.

The high school bond issue of \$3,700,000 was sold on December 12, 1976 at a very favorable rate of 5.25% which resulted in a tremendous savings to the School District. Much of my time has been spent during the year working with the architects, contractor, and clerk of the works as the project progresses and in monitoring the construction budget. The high school construction bid was less than the architects' budgeted amount which resulted in a savings of \$359,588. This amount was further reduced at the 1977 Annual School District Meeting in April when it was voted to transfer \$250,000 of this amount to reduce the bonding cost of the new elementary school and \$50,000 to build athletic fields for the new high school.

The 1976-1977 school year ended with a total of \$312,194 being returned to the Town's general fund to offset the 1977-1978 budgeted school expenditures. Five major items made up the bulk of the surplus. The largest of these was \$129,500 originally budgeted for an interest payment on the \$3,700,000 high school bond issue. Twenty thousand dollars were realized through an insurance premium reduction following Londonderry's consolidation with a statewide group for health insurance rating, and \$8,300 was saved by installing a demand control unit to regulate electrical usage in the Junior High School. Also, there was an under-expenditure in tuition accounts of \$105,800 and unanticipated revenues of \$36,004.

The proposed budget for 1978-1979 will be recast from the traditional (object function accounting) to a program budgeting system which will record the individual cost of each subject area taught in our school system. This format is the generally accepted school accounting procedure throughout the country and as our District grows, this method is more and more important in providing financial significance and responsible management.

I continue to appreciate the cooperation and assistance of the entire school staff and citizens of the community, and especially that of the members of the School Board.

Respectfully submitted,  
Normand A. Tanguay  
Business Administrator



**LONDONDERRY MIDDLE-JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL**  
**REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL**

To the citizens of Londonderry, I hereby submit my annual report as Principal of the Londonderry Middle-Junior High School.

In September of 1976 we opened with 791 students — an increase of 64 students from the previous year. For the first time in the recent past, school opened with no major changes in the student make-up or in the educational programs.

Improvements were made as follows:

1. A full time Art teacher was hired to teach grades five and six.
2. A full time physical education teacher was hired for grades five and six.
3. Two learning disabilities tutors were hired to work with students in grades five through eight.
4. Federal funds were received to set up a Title One program on the district level. At the Middle-Junior High this meant two teachers for grade five through eight students who have difficulty in the communications area and certain language skills.

I would like to close by reiterating what I have stated in the past. Progress is directly attributable to those associated with the product. I wish to express my appreciation to everyone, both professional and non-professional, on my staff for their cooperation. All of these people play important roles and I could not operate without them. Special thanks are given to Mrs. Joanne Helweg, Dr. Douglass Roberts and Mr. Normand Tanguay for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,  
Charles R. Stortstrom,  
Principal  
Londonderry Middle-Junior  
High School

**MATTHEW THORNTON SCHOOL**  
**1977 TOWN REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL**

It is my pleasure to present this report to the citizens of Londonderry for the year ending June 30, 1977.

It certainly is commonly accepted that Londonderry is experiencing, and will continue to experience, appreciable growth in its school population. This problem is being faced by you the citizens, the School Board, the Administrative Team, the Staff and students. In September 1977, all will be involved in attempting to solve a multitude of problems without serious interruptions to our educational programs.

One of the highlights of this past year was a most successful Title I Program. The Program at Matthew Thornton under the direction of Joanne Fouquette and the capable tutelage of Carol Bradford, stressed the basic skills of Language Arts, Reading and Self-Concepts. Parents, students and teachers expressed a positive attitude toward the program in relation to the overall educational environment.

Equally worthy of mention, is that the youngsters at Matthew Thornton, as did other students in Londonderry, scored extremely well on the National C.T.B.S. testing program. Positive differences, most frequently, were obtained in reading and reference skills.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all the members of the community for their support of the educational process, the Superintendent for his professional leadership, the School Board for the many hours they dedicated to serve the needs of the students and to the Staff for their interest in the educational welfare of each student.

Respectfully submitted,  
Robert J. Shea, Principal

## **NORTH LONDONDERRY SCHOOL REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL**

To the citizens of Londonderry, I hereby submit my annual report as Principal of the North Londonderry Elementary School.

Our enrollment was 440 students at the close of the school year in grades 1-4 and a Learning Resource Center. This was the tenth year of operation of North School.

A number of educational programs were developed or expanded to include an art teacher, a full time Learning Disabilities tutor and a Title I tutor and additional services from our guidance counselor.

The goal of our staff was a commitment to the teaching of the basic skills in reading, mathematics, spelling and writing and to develop within students sound values and attitudes. Our achievement test results indicated very clear and definite positive results whereby students performed above our expectations. This is indeed a tribute to everyone associated with our school.

This year in my report I wish to mention especially the role of the parent in the organization of our school. Parents and citizens of Londonderry have contributed countless hours of service to students as members of our School Volunteer Program. I salute Mrs. Ruth Osgood who has volunteered 500 hours during this school year. Parents have attended faithfully parent-teacher conferences, have served as chaperones on educational class trips and have assisted in the classroom. We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude for your support and cooperation. Only by working together can we best understand your children and plan qualitative educational programs.

I am very grateful to the teaching staff and the supplementary service staff, for they have given of themselves to the success of all the students at this school. I appreciate their dedication and support. I also wish to express my appreciation to the clerical, custodial, teacher-aid and kitchen staffs for their assistance and contributions. Without them our school would not be complete.

Progress and success further depends upon the support and direction of our Superintendent, Dr. Roberts, our Business Administrator, Mr. Tanguay and the Londonderry School Board. I am indeed very grateful to them.

Donald Jobin  
Principal



## SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

September 1976-1977

Health service in the school setting is provided to strengthen the educational process of children; these include appraisal of student health, prevention and control of disease, prevention and correction of physical defects, health guidance and supervision, and emergency care.

The quality and extent of school health services provided by the local school district, directly affect the student's physical, emotional and social well-being, which is a major factor in the benefits derived from his learning experiences.

School-age youngsters with chronic disabilities of varying severity may require special measures. It is desirable that these children feel that they are normal members of the class. School-age children with special needs do pose problems for the school, but knowledge and planning will enable the staff to deal satisfactorily with these problems.

The dental clinic had a successful 8th year in the Londonderry Schools. Mrs. Barbara Coish, R.D.H., our dental hygienist, serviced 842 children. This clinic was sponsored by the American Legion, Parmenter-Harrington Post 27.

The Londonderry Women's Club provided funds which were matched under the State Dental Program. Four local dentists participated in the program and 22 children received dental care.

Preschool registration, sponsored by the Londonderry Lions Club, was held in April; 227 children were registered. School requirements for children entering first grade state that children must be six on or before September 30th of 1977.

This year many sections of the United States have noticed a marked increase in cases of Measles. Fortunately for Londonderry, strict adherence to the immunization regulation prior to school admission has paid off with four cases reported in our school system. All children are required to have completed necessary immunizations and have had a physical examination by their doctor prior to the first day of school.

Our sincere thanks to all the local organizations and members of the community who have continued to give of their time and services for the benefit of the children of Londonderry.

Respectfully submitted,  
Claire Hunter, R.N.  
Arlene Early, R.N.  
Marilyn Ham, R.N.



## SCHOOL LIBRARY REPORT

To the citizens of Londonderry, I hereby submit my annual report as School Librarian.

The past year has been an especially exciting one in terms of growth for the overall Library/Media program. During the fall of 1976 we were able to initiate the active participation of our own school community with the formation of two Library Advisory Councils. One council consisted of school administrators, teacher representatives from grades one through six and representatives from the specialized service areas and functioned at the Primary/Intermediate level. The other council consisted of faculty representatives from the various academic subject areas, administration and special services and concerned itself with secondary school topics. The members of these councils offered ideas and advice concerning library programs and services as well as acting as a decision making body in the formulation of policy. Council members were instrumental in helping to develop material preview and evaluation forms and procedures.

Continuing our philosophy to share library/media resources between all schools, inter-library loan procedures developed in the past were continued and helped to increase material effectiveness in classroom settings at all grade levels.

Other new innovations in terms of library/media service include the following:

1. Addition of paperbacks - Junior High:

Approximately 800 titles were added to the Junior High library in paperback format. Student response was overwhelming. In a survey conducted in the Spring students indicated a preference for reading materials in this form and our circulation figures at the Junior High increased considerably due to the addition.

2. Addition of Lamination service - District:

In order to preserve the life of materials produced in-house by district teachers a laminating machine was purchased and was rotated between the schools. Library/Media aides were instructed in the use of the machine and it proved a popular addition for all concerned.

3. Addition of Video equipment - District:

In the early fall of 1977 we acquired a Video system with Title IV-B monies. The system is part of a project designed to be implemented in our Junior High Health curriculum.

I should like to take this opportunity to extend my appreciation to teachers and staff at North School, Matthew Thornton School and the Middle/Junior High School for their continued assistance and involvement in the Library/Media program. In addition I am particularly grateful for the continued support and interest of the building principals, Dr. Roberts, Mr. Tanguay and the staff at the Union office. Most importantly thanks are in

order for our Library Aides — Mrs. Marilyn Lamson, Mrs. Pat Cashman and Mrs. Marion Guilbert for continuing to get the job done and thus insuring the continued success of our school Library/Media Centers.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Susan M. Doyon  
School Librarian

	North	Matthew Thornton	Junior High
Easy Books	987	919	—
Non-Fiction	1,986	1,264	1,499
Fiction	1,327	413	914
Biography	267	105	254
Paperback	—	—	757
Circulation	13,380	14,639	16,385

## ANNUAL REPORT

### Speech and Language Department

The 1976-1977 school year in the Londonderry School District found itself with one speech and language pathologist to carry out therapeutic services, diagnostic evaluations, and administrative duties. Despite the reduction in personnel, the program has continued to serve the children in the district at all grade levels from readiness through grades eight. Strongest emphasis in the program was directed toward servicing the children in grades readiness through fourth.

During the school year, the 65 children who received therapeutic services were seen on an individual basis or in groups of two or three. Therapy was provided to children exhibiting difficulty in the areas of listening skills, articulation (sound production), voice, and/or language development. A summer (1976) program was offered during which time children participated in language groups three times a week while language stories, demanding consistent student participation, were utilized. Individual, and small group therapy services began early in the fall of 1976 during which time the children's programs were outlined for the remainder of the year. Also, the speech and language pathologist continued services for the Matthew Thornton School's In-Class Program at the readiness level. Time did not allow for the continuation of a similar program at North Londonderry Elementary School. This readiness program helped strengthen the children's listening skills and supported the phonics program instituted by their classroom teacher.

In-depth diagnostic evaluations were completed on 34 of the 51 children referred to this therapist. Children were referred by teachers, school administrators, parents, and physicians. In-depth evaluations and program planning was also completed on pre-school children exhibiting severe speech and/or language disorders. Three major screenings were conducted:

1. Fall screening — of all first and third graders — a total of 469 children seen on a one-to-one basis.
2. April pre-school screening — of all children entering the first grade in September of 1977. This screening was completed with the assistance of the University of New Hampshire Speech and Language Department students — 180 children screened.
3. Spring screening — of the readiness classes both at Matthew Thornton and at North Londonderry Elementary Schools — 27 children.

These screening sessions determined those children requiring future speech and/or language therapy.

Administrative responsibilities of the department have been concerned with attendance at staffings, finalization of progress reports, compilation of educational plans, and completion of state forms (the state now requires Individual Educational Plans completed for all students serviced by this department throughout the year). In addition to these duties the added responsibility of completing Child Find Forms became an unrealistic reality!



Another administrative responsibility of this therapist was to plan for, and follow through on, the programs of eleven outplaced town students. This involved determining appropriateness and restrictions of the placement for the student in accordance with all state and federal regulations.

Although many children profited from the program this past year, the therapist believes the program could have been more effective with additional personnel. With supportive assistance not only would the pathologist have had more therapy hours with the students already in the program but she would have been able to reach those students whose needs for a speech and language program were not serviced because of a lack of hours in the day. Therefore, this speech and language pathologist strongly and most professionally and conscientiously urges the expansion of the Speech and Language Department in order to better serve Londonderry's school population.

Respectfully submitted,  
Laurette L. Carlson  
Speech and Language  
Pathologist  
M.A. C.C.C.



## GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT REPORT

This year, the students of Londonderry, in both elementary schools and the Middle/Junior High School were served by three full time guidance counselors.

A major portion of each counselor's time was spent in individual and group counseling sessions with students. This year, approximately 411 students were referred for counseling by teachers, principals, school nurses, other specialists, parents and the students themselves. Approximately 72 students per week were seen on an individual basis and another 180 students were seen in small groups.

Classroom guidance activities were conducted in all three schools at all grade levels. They covered issues such as career development, values clarification, mental health, responsibility, sportsmanship, communication skills and DUSO (Development of an Understanding of Self and Others) activities.

Much of the remainder of the counselor's time was spent in conferences, consulting with teachers, principals, parents, and other specialists helping to plan and implement programs for individual students, guidance activities and counseling sessions for the students involved in the Title One communications skill building programs, the writing of recommendations for eighth grade students applying to high schools, the conduction of an orientation program for fourth graders coming into the fifth grade, the administration of all individual intelligence tests. Counselor responsibilities also include identifying students with special needs and finding or developing appropriate programs to meet their needs. The counselors were responsible for coordinating the yearly evaluations and staffings required by law, of 17 of the students placed in special education programs outside of the Londonderry School District.

Additionally, one of the counselors conducted a weekly parent group aimed toward helping parents to gain a better understanding of child behavior and alternatives to dealing with misbehavior in children. Similarly teacher workshops were conducted by the counselors in the areas of hyperactivity, and under-achievement.

The counselors in Londonderry were also involved in a number of professional or youth oriented organizations, which included membership in the N.H. Personnel and Guidance Association, N.H. School Counselors Association, Volunteer Probation Department, and Merrimack Valley Personnel and Guidance Association, Tom Moher, President. Two counsellors were also involved in coaching Junior High sports.

Respectfully submitted,  
Joan D'Amico  
Thomas Moher  
Michael Wartman

## LEARNING DISABILITIES REPORT

To the citizens of Londonderry, I hereby submit my annual report as the Learning Disability Coordinator of the Londonderry School District.

As I reflect upon the Learning Disability Program this past year, I am pleased to report note-worthy progress and generous cooperation with the development of services for the learning disabled child.

Rapid growth in student enrollment and legislation changes throughout the nation in implementing Public Law 94-142 the "Education for All Handicapped Children Act" had a definite impact upon our responsibilities and duties.

A significant amount of time had to be spent in identifying and filing reports for the mandated state child-find census using revised forms and guidelines.

Record keeping at the local level, to comply with the requirements of the law, has become very time consuming and extensive. For the first time we are attempting to provide each learning disabled child with an individualized educational plan including short term objectives and annual goals. In June parents were requested to come to the schools to review goals and give permission to continue with tutoring for the next school year.

In four school settings children were tutored individually or in a small group for an average of two sessions per week. Parents were telephoned quarterly to set up personal conferences to review written tutoring progress reports. Many classroom observations and teacher consultations were also conducted.

A major portion of time is spent in testing each child to assess individual needs. Hopefully this additional information correlates with background history, teacher evaluations and provides valuable knowledge that will directly benefit the child, his teacher, and his family in the success of his daily education.

Bi-monthly tutor training sessions were held to demonstrate materials and teaching techniques, to develop testing expertise and to provide and share information between buildings. Planning and implementing programs for individual students among Specialists such as Speech and Reading demanded many meetings for the staff members involved. To keep abreast of building and district needs the Coordinator attends as many administrative and teacher meetings as possible and is available to the entire district and community.

Much of the remainder of the Coordinator's time was spent in reviewing and securing programs for the students placed in special education programs outside of the Londonderry School District. These students also require visiting, observation, testing, conferences and, of course, placement forms. It is my goal to meet with each learning disabled child and his family to personally review each student's progress. As personnel is added and programs are developed at the local level, it is our hope that many of these children will be able to return to their own neighborhood schools.

Without the dedication of four full time Learning Disability tutor-teachers, who at this writing are returning for the 77-78 school year, a pro-

gram of this magnitude would be impossible. We are indebted to Linda Arel, Nancy Blackwood, Kenneth Merrill and Thelma Raine for a sensitive and stimulating daily approach to the special needs of each child.

Many teachers too numerous to name, have given extra time and have extended their programs to meet individual needs. As I travel from building to building, secretaries help to make my day more proficient, Specialists provide added valuable information and busy Principals are concerned and available as needed.

As my point of reference, the daily cooperation of the central office staff is appreciated. Normand Tanguay's concern and support provided tutoring spaces at the Junior High and necessary materials and supplies. And a special thank you to Dr. Roberts, whose providence provides direction to the program.

And in closing, I would like to take this opportunity to express gratitude to the Londonderry Community. I want to thank the parents who have so graciously responded and have come to the schools so that programs and goals could be developed for "our" children.

Your continued interest and willingness to communicate is, and will be, a significant asset to the progress of this special program.

Respectfully submitted,  
Lois E. Ireland  
Learning Disabilities Coordinator



## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MATH CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

During the '76-'77 school year the Math Committee worked on collecting data on the positive and negative points of the scope and sequence chart and the mastery tests which accompany it.

This summer, for the week of June 27 thru July 1, the committee has compiled the data, analyzed it and worked on the necessary revisions. We included an analysis of the appropriate CTBS tests in our investigations for assurance that our minimum goals would be in alignment with national measurement devices. The committee has made every effort to insure the fact that our expectations were in accordance with national levels.

In order to be in line with the State Department of Mathematics Education's emphasis on metrics, the committee decided to separate the metrics from the regular measurement areas and establish a new category on the Scope and Sequence Chart. This was done for two reasons:

- To emphasize the importance of this area of mathematics
- To help remind teachers that metrics should be taught as a unit of measurement and not a study of conversions and comparisons

The Progress Charts have also undergone some changes and should be easier for the teacher to record on as well as diagnose areas of deficiency.

The following personnel have worked long and hard to reassess our efforts of last year and have done an excellent job in helping to implement the program:

- Grade 1 — Jackie Gerth
- 2 — Sue Miller
- 3 — Barbara Winter
- 1 — Tomi MacKenzie
- 4 — Lynn Zarlengo
- 5 — Linda Croteau
- 6 — George Denno
- 7 & 8 — Anne Michele Keady

During the '77-'78 school year we hope to enlarge the committee to fourteen (14) with one teacher from each grade from each school. This will give the teachers a ready reference person to help alleviate any problems. We hope to continue this trend the following year by adding members from the new schools.

Sincerely,  
Joanne P. Helweg  
Math Curriculum Committee  
Chairperson



## **LONDONDERRY STAFF DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT**

The Staff Development Committee is a group made up of teachers, administrators, a school board representative and parents. This committee works for the betterment of the Londonderry School District through professional growth activities. Through these activities the staff members are also recertified.

Every professional who is employed in the district must complete the requirements of Staff Recertification every three years. This three year in-service cycle is ongoing. The Staff Development Committee has set up guidelines by developing a Master Plan.

During the school year 1976-77 the Committee has made several amendments to the Master Plan as well as condensing of the specific guidelines needed to be fulfilled for Staff Development.

However, this year 1976-77 we will be undertaking the task of revising the Master Plan. The Master Plan is also on a three year cycle. This Plan will be reviewed than renewed by the State. The purpose for this revision is to see where we are now, negate the negative to positive and to foresee in what direction we will go for the future. Hopefully the revision and amendments will help for the improvement of the professional employees which will in turn help to uplift the improvement of the educational quality of the children of the community.

Respectfully submitted,  
Johanna M. Gibbons-Bell  
Chairperson

# ENROLLMENTS

## Londonderry School District

September, 1977

	1	2	3	4	5
North Elem.	139	120	129	112	0
Matthew Thornton	166	116	136	140	
Middle/Jr. High	0	0	0	0	222
TOTAL	305	236	265	252	222

6	7	8	Sp.	Total
0	0	0	7	507
				558
210	222	208	10	872
210	222	208	17	1937

High Schools:	9	10	11	12	Total	Tuition
Alvirne					62	\$1,527
Easter Seal					5	\$1,524
Manchester					66	\$1,485
Pinkerton					562	\$1,204
TOTAL					695	

Out-of-District:	Students	Tuition
Amoskeag Center	3	\$1,016
Crotched Mountain Center	1	1,249
Derry Trainable Class	3	1,016
Eagle Hill School	1	1,249
Easter Seal School	8	1,336
Ernest Hermann School	1	3,314
Laconia State School	2	1,016
Wm. J. Moore Center	3	1,696
NEEDS, Inc.	1	2,610
North River School	1	1,950
SERESC A-TMR Program	1	2,009
SERESC LAP Program	3	4,000
TOTAL	28	

## LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Enrollment History and Projection Grades 1-12

(Including students tuitioned outside Londonderry)

Year	Students	Increase	Percent Change
1967	980		
1968	1025	45	4½ %
1969	1230	205	20 %
1970	1315	85	7 %
1971	1485	170	13 %
1972	1690	205	13½ %
1973	1875	185	11 %
1974	2155	280	15 %
1975	2240	85	4 %
1976	2405	165	7½ %
1977	2670	265	11 %
(1978)	(2900)a	(230)	(8½ %)
(1979)	(3150)b	(250)	(8½ %)
(1980)	(3400)c	(250)	(8 %)

Average percent increase last ten years: 10½ %

Average percent increase last five years: 9½ %

(Number of students rounded to nearest 5; percents rounded to nearest ½.)

- a The Londonderry school system in the fall of 1978 will include three elementary schools and a junior/senior high school, but Londonderry seniors will still be tuitioned outside the District.
- b By fall 1979, all 12 grades will be enrolled locally, and the enrollment will somewhat exceed the system's accepted capacity of 3064.
- c By fall 1980 at the latest, substantial additional space will be required.

# LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 1978-1979 School Calendar

	M	T	W	TH	F		M	T	W	TH	F
Sept.	X	X	6	7	8	Feb.				1	2
	11	12	13	14	15		5	6	7	8	9
18	18	19	20	21	22	15	12	13	14	15	16
	25	26	27	28	29		X	X	X	X	X
							26	27	28		
Oct.	2	3	4	5	6	Mar.				1	2
	9	10	11	12	X		5	6	7	8	9
21	16	17	18	19	20	21	12	13	14	15	16
	23	24	25	26	27		19	20	21	22	23
	30	31					X	27	28	29	30
Nov.			1	2	3	April	2	3	4	5	6
	6	7	8	9	10		9	10	11	12	13
19	13	14	X	16	17	16	16	17	18	19	20
	20	21	22	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
	27	28	29	30			30				
Dec.					1	May		1	2	3	4
	4	5	6	7	8		7	8	9	10	11
16	11	12	13	14	15	22	14	15	16	17	18
	18	19	20	21	22		21	22	23	24	25
	X	X	X	X	X		28	29	X	31	
Jan.	X	X	3	4	5	June					1
	8	9	10	11	12		4	5	6	7	8
22	15	16	17	18	19	13	11	12	13	14	15
	22	23	24	25	26		18	19	X	X	X
	29	30	31				X	X	X	X	X

### DAYS OUT:

September 5 — Teacher Workshop Day  
 October 13\* — Teachers' Convention  
 November 15 — Teacher Workshop Day  
 November 22 — Dismissal at 1:00 p.m.  
 November 23, 24 — Thanksgiving Recess  
 December 22 — Dismissal at 1:00 p.m.

December 25-January 2 — Christmas Vacation  
 February 19-23 — Winter Vacation  
 March 26 — Teacher Workshop Day  
 April 23-27 — Spring Vacation  
 May 30 — Memorial Day  
 June 19 — Dismissal at 1:00 p.m.

\* October 13, Teachers' Convention, is a tentative date and may have to be adjusted in the calendar.

Schools open September 6; close June 19.

Days in session: 182 (including 2 "snow days")

Approved: January 23, 1978  
 Londonderry School Board



# TEACHERS UNDER APPOINTMENT

1976-1977

## MATTHEW THORNTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

NAME	COLLEGE	POSITION
Johanna Bell	Notre Dame College	Grade 2
Patricia Benson	Notre Dame College	Art
Priscilla Clarkson	Plymouth State College	Grade 1
Janet Cunningham	University of Massachusetts	Grade 3
Donna DiGeronimo	Rivier College	Grade 1
Arlene Early	Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, Houston, Texas	Nurse
Charlene Gelineau	Eastern Conn. State College	Grade 3
James Giuca	University of New Hampshire	Physical Ed.
Patricia Gurtner	University of New Hampshire	Grade 1
Margaret Hesse	Bridgewater State College (Mass.)	Grade 4
Geraldine Koziell	Keene State College	Grade 4
Marion Landry	Notre Dame College	Reading
Marilynn Letendre	Keene State College, UNH	Grade 3
Kathleen Lynch	Keene State College	Grade 1
Maureen McKay	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 4
Jane Marraty	Plymouth State College	Grade 2
Grace Masse	Rivier College	Grade 3
Laurie Meyer	Keene State College	Grade 1
Sharon Miller	Michigan State University	Grade 2
Nancy Patterson	Regis College (Mass.)	Grade 1
Valerie Piotrowicz	University of Massachusetts, UNH	Grade 1
Maria Sinclair	University of New Hampshire	Grade 2
Sue Soucy	Keene State College	Music
Karen Volk	Keene State College	Grade 2
Kenneth Williams	Plymouth State College	Grade 4
Barbara Winter	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 3
Madeline Zarlengo	Westfield State College (Mass.)	Grade 4
Robert J. Shea	Keene State College; Plymouth State College	Principal

## NORTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Lynn Allgeyer	Plymouth State College	Grade 1
Kimberley Bateman	Keene State College	Physical Ed.
Donna Cullen	Plymouth State College	Grade 2
Sharon Cullivan	Plymouth State College	Grade 4
Jeanne Cutter	Keene State College	Special Ed.
Esther Dolman	Notre Dame College	Grade 3
Penelope Felix	Notre Dame College	Grade 1
Eleanor Fielding	Boston University	Art
Eileen Fortin	University of New Hampshire	Grade 1
Jacquelin Gerth	Western Carolina University	Grade 3
Marilyn Ham	Boston Children's Hospital of Nursing	Nurse
Dianne Hammond	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 2
Ellen Hayes	University of New Hampshire	Grade 4
Linda Holland	Fitchburg State College (Mass.)	Grade 1
Joyce Horne	University of New Hampshire	Grade 4

Erma Knox	Aroostock State College (Maine)	Reading
Thomascina Mackenzie	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 3
Charlotte McCarthy	Catholic Teachers College (R.I.)	Grade 1
Cheryl Mousseau	Keene State College	Grade 4
Priscilla Muise	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 2
Dianne Smith	Keene State College	Music
Dianne Stenhouse	Leslie College (Mass.)	Grade 2
Donna Wheeler	Notre Dame College	Grade 3
Donald Jobin	St. Anselms College	
	University of New Hampshire	Principal

#### MIDDLE/JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Margaret Agati	Notre Dame of Maryland	Home Ec.
Christine Alleva	University of New Hampshire	Reading
Madeline Andrews	Rivier College	Grade 5
Chrystine Arvanitis	Plymouth State College	Grade 5
Mary Aylward	Mount St. Mary's College	Reading
Richard Beaulieu	St. Anselm's College	Science
Regina Bouvier	Plymouth State College	Social Studies
Donna Brightman	Plymouth State College	Grade 6
David Carmody	Fitchburg State College	Special Ed.
Mary Lu Chamberlain	Keene State College	Physical Ed.
Linda Croteau	Plymouth State College	Grade 5
George Denno	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 6
John Deveney	Salem State College (Mass.)	Grade 5
Kim Downing	University of New Hampshire	Grade 6
Marcia Faucher	University of Massachusetts	Grade 5
Normand Felix	Keene State College	Language
Cynthia Figore	University of Pittsburgh (PA.)	Math
Stanley Garczynski	Keene State College	Social Studies
Jacquelyn Grainger	Rivier College	Language Arts
Catherine Gresh	University of Connecticut	Language Arts
Judith Hudson	Notre Dame College	Grade 6
Claire Hunter	Boston City Hospital School of Nursing	
Irene Jean	Rivier College	Nurse
Anne Keady	Rivier College	Grade 6
Donald Kelly	University of New Hampshire	Math
Daniel Kiestlinger	Manhattan College (NY)	Science
Ellen McDonald	Keene State College	Physical Ed.
Phyllis McDonald	University of Maine	Math
Marcia Manseau	Keene State College	Language Arts
Nancy Meyers	University of Maryland	Physical Ed.
Paula Miklave	Keene State College	French/Spanish
Catherine Mooradian	University of New Hampshire	Grade 5
David Pearson	Fitchburg State College	Art
Claire Quaile	Notre Dame College	Ind. Arts.
Dennis Royal	University of New Hampshire	Science
Andrew Soucy	Keene State College	Science
Christine Stanley	University of California	Music
Grace Stokes	Merrimack College (Mass.)	French
Shelley Szczebak	Plymouth State College	Grade 6
Kathryn Szopa	Notre Dame College	Science/Math
Matthew Szopa	University of New Hampshire	Art
Beverly Timme	University of New Hampshire	Social Studies
John Vadeboncoeur	University of New Hampshire	Grade 5
		Grade 6

Kathleen Wietecha

Joanne Helweg

Charles Stortstrom

Keene State College

University of Massachusetts

Lowell State College (Mass.)

Salem State College (Mass.)

Grade 5

Ass't. Principal

Principal

#### **DISTRICT**

Laurette Carlson

Joan D'Amico

Susan Doyon

Joanne Fouquette

Lois Ireland

Thomas Moher

Michael Wartman

Northeastern University (Mass.)

Western Conn. State College

Simmons College (Mass.)

Plymouth State College

Lowell State College (Mass.)

University of New Hampshire

Springfield College (Mass.)

Speech

Guidance

Librarian

Title I

Learning Disabilities

Guidance

Guidance



## ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

April 16, 1977

Clerk Janet Crowe opened the meeting and read Andrew Mack's resignation. Rowland Schmidtchen nominated William Foley as Moderator Pro Tem. He was accepted by a show of hands, sworn in by Atty. Soule and took over the meeting.

The invocation was given by Father Gilbert.

Presentation by color guard and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Daniel Kiestlinger was introduced who introduced the students who represented Londonderry in Way Out Games.

Robert Lincoln then introduced Sherrie Hearn, champion speller of Londonderry.

Introduced head table, five assistant moderators.

Recognized non-voters: Robert Patnaude, Court Reporter; Andrew Isaak, Steven Brunelle, John Kimball, all from Isaak and Isaak; Joanne Helweg, Assistant Principal at Junior High School.

Recognized members of the press — Nancy Chapman, Ferne Schmidtchen, and John Prestage.

Reviewed ground rules.

**Motion:** Rowland Schmidtchen moved to act on Article 2 first, then Article 1. **Second** by Robert Lincoln. **Move** the question by Mr. Ham. **Second** from the floor. Hand vote affirmative, motion carries.

**Motion:** Rowland Schmidtchen moved to adopt Article 2 as follows: To see if the District will vote to authorize the expenditure of the sum of \$250,000 from the sum on hand from the 1976 bond issue proceeds for the purpose of paying a portion of the cost of the new elementary school building.

**Second** by Robert Lincoln.

Patricia Hickey explained where the funds came from. Discussion by James Cassotis, Norman Russell, Harry Anagnos and Howard Rudolph followed.

**Move** the question by Robert Lincoln. **Second** by James Cassotis.

Hand count taken; the vote was 102 in favor, 48 opposed. The article passes.

Article 1 to appropriate \$1,880,000 for the construction of a new elementary school building reads as follows: To see if the District will appropriate \$1,880,000, or any other sum, for the construction of an elementary school building and for the purchase of school equipment of a lasting character; to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; and to determine whether the use of any income derived from the temporary investment of bond proceeds shall be limited to the payment of any bonds or notes which may be issued in connection with the project; or to take any other action relative thereto.



**Motion** by James Cassotis. **Second** by Lisa Whittemore. Patricia Hickey amended amount to \$1,630,000. **Seconded** by Robert Lincoln. Discussion by James Cassotis, Mr. Anagnos, Mr. Lievens, Mr. Soule and Robert Lincoln followed.

Figure of \$1,630,000 accepted by hand vote.

Presentation by Steve Bresee, Elementary Alternatives Committee.

Presentation by Joyce Heinrich, Elementary School Building Committee.

Presentation of new school by Steven Brunelle of Isaak and Isaak.

Participating in the discussion that followed were: Mrs. McKinney, Gary Miller, James Anagnos, Mr. Merrill, John Matuszewski, James Cassotis, Remi Fortin, Jack Webster, Mr. Ham and Alan Saulnier.

**Move** the question James Cassotis. **Second** by Robert Lincoln. Question moved.

Polls opened at 2:45, open for an hour.

276 — yes

137 — no

413 — Total

275 votes needed to pass. Article 1 passes by 1 vote.

Article 3 to see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to expend the sum of \$196,000, or any portion of such sum, for the installation and construction of athletic fields and facilities at the Londonderry High School site. (This Article is being submitted to the voters of the District whereas the sum of \$196,000 will not be necessary to carry out the construction program approved by the voters at the 1976 Annual School District Meeting.)

**Motion** by Robert Lincoln. **Second** by Patricia Hickey.

James Cassotis amended amount to \$110,000, contingent on passage of Article 1. Lisa Whittemore **second**.

Presentation by Dr. David Taylor, Chairman of Athletic Committee.

Robert Early amended amount further to \$50,000. Norman Russell **second**. Discussion followed.

**Move** the question Mr. Anagnos. **Second** from the floor.

Hand vote affirmative, motion carries.

Article 3 now reads "I move that the District expend the sum of \$50,000". Amendment carries by show of hands. Hand count taken on Article 3, 124 yes; 7 no. Article 3 passes at amended figure.

Article 4 considered: To see if the District will authorize the School Board to accept on behalf of the District a Federal grant of \$121,650, or any other sum that may be made available to the District under the Federal Local Public

Works Employment Act for the purpose of constructing School District administrative offices on land owned by the School District. Further, that the School District appropriate the amount of the grant for the purpose of constructing the administrative offices and that the School Board be authorized to do all things responsible or necessary in this matter.

**Motion** by Patricia Hickey. **Second** by Lisa Whittemore. Discussion followed.

**Move** the question James Cassotis. **Second**, Lisa Whittemore.

Hand vote affirmative, question moved.

Hand vote affirmative; Article 4 passes.

Article 5 considered: BY PETITION. To see if the District will vote to appropriate the sum of \$185,000 for the first principal payment on the \$3,700,000 bond. The amount is to be derived from the sale of the same said bond.

**Motion** by Lisa Whittemore. **Second** Mr. Webster.

Brief discussion ensued.

Norman Russell **moved** to table article. **Second** from floor.

Hand vote affirmative; Article tabled.

Article 6 considered: To see if the District will approve the wage and salary ranges for all salary levels and in all personnel categories as established by the Londonderry Wage & Salary Committee for the 1977-78 school district fiscal year.

**Motion** by Lisa Whittemore. **Second** Patricia Hickey. **Move** the question Robert Lincoln. **Second** Mr. Ham.

Affirmative voice vote, question moved.

Affirmative hand vote, Article passes.

Article 7 considered: To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salary of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District.

**Motion** by Rowland Schmidtchen the sum of \$4,242,520 be raised. **Second** Robert Lincoln. Dr. Roberts amended figure to \$4,291,420. Lisa Whittemore **Second**. Discussion followed.

**Move** the question Rowland Schmidtchen. Hand vote affirmative, question moved.

Affirmative hand vote, amendment carries.

Budget discussed.

**Move** the question Robert Lincoln.

**Second** James Cassotis.

Hand vote affirmative, question moved.

Hand vote affirmative, Article passes.

Article 8 considered: To hear reports of agents and auditors and committees or officers chosen and pass any vote in relation thereto.

**Motion** by Lisa Whittemore. **Second** James Cassotis.

**Move** the question Norman Russell. **Second** Mr. Anagnos.

Hand vote affirmative, question moved.

Hand vote affirmative, Article accepted.

Article 9 considered: To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to accept and to spend in the name of and in behalf of the School District gifts for the use of the schools.

**Motion** by Lisa Whittemore. **Second** James Cassotis.

No discussion.

Hand vote affirmative; Article passes.

Article 10 considered: To see if the School District will vote to authorize the School Board to apply for, negotiate and do all other things necessary to obtain such State, Federal, or other funds, grants or aids, including Public Law 89-10, as may be made available to the School District or its students, and to authorize the School Board to expend the same.

**Motion** by Lisa Whittemore. **Second** Robert Lincoln.

Brief discussion.

**Move** the question Norman Russell. **Second** Mr. Anagnos.

Hand vote affirmative, question moved.

Hand vote affirmative, Article carries.

Article 11. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting, including the appointment of committees.

Other business considered: Patricia Hickey's retirement from School Board.

**Motion** by Mr. Ham that minutes of School District Meeting be printed in Annual Report. **Second** Mrs. McKinney.

Discussion followed. Move the question Mr. Funk. **Second** Mr. Ham.

Affirmative hand vote, question moved.

Affirmative hand vote, motion carries.

**Motion** by Norman Russell to hold School District meetings on Friday nights. **Second** Mrs. Anagnos.

Affirmative vote, Friday night approved.

Discussion followed.

**Move** to adjourn Mrs. Schmidtchen.

**Second** Mrs. McKinney.

Voice vote affirmative.

Adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Janet Crowe, Clerk



## SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

September 16, 1977

Special meeting opened at 8:00 P.M. with approximately 90 people in attendance. Moderator William Foley introduced head table and non-voters, including Mr. Edward Thibodeau, new High School Principal and his wife, Nan

Reviewed ground rules.

**Article 1** read as follows: To see if the District will vote to rescind the existing contract between the Londonderry School District and Pinkerton Academy and authorize the Londonderry School Board to enter into a new contract with the Academy, the new contract to terminate June 30, 1979.

Robert Lincoln **moved** the question. Lisa Whittemore, **Second**.

Robert Lincoln spoke to the question. Read letter that the School Board sent to Manchester Central, Alvirne and Pinkerton and the replies the School Board received.

Brief discussion followed regarding how figures were arrived at. Robert Lincoln stated that the School Board supports the article 100%.

Robert Early **moved** the question. **Second** from the floor.

Show of hands — question moved.

Show of hands affirmative — article carries.

**Article 2** read as follows: To see if the District will vote to express its present intent to pay tuition costs for those Londonderry students enrolled in sequential courses in other high schools.

Robert Lincoln **moved** the question.

Lisa Whittemore **Second**.

Brief statement by Robert Lincoln. No discussion.

William Foley **moved** question.

Show of hands, question moved.

Show of hands affirmative, Article carries.

Dr. Roberts **moved** to adjourn.

Robert Early **second**.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted.  
Janet A. Crowe, Clerk



# LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 1977-1978 Budget

### Administration

110.1	Salaries of School District Officers		
	Board Chairman	\$ 500	\$
	Board members (4 at \$400 ea.)	1,600	
	Treasurer	500	
	Secretary	1,500	4,100
110.2	Salaries of Supervisory Union Administrators		
	Professional Salaries	45,200	45,200
110.3	Salaries — Supervisory Union Secretarial/Clerical		
	Secretaries on contract	16,962	
	Peak load temporaries	360	
	Administrative Assistant	10,000	27,322
135	Contracted Services for Administration		
	Moderator	50	
	District Clerk	50	
	Auditors	1,500	
	Ballot Clerks (12 at \$15 ea.)	180	
	Supervisor of Checklist	180	
	School census	2,520	
	Legal fees	5,000	
	Court Reporter — District Meeting	700	10,180
190.1	Expenses of District Office		
	New Hampshire School Board Association dues	475	
	Postage — Treasurer	65	
	Postage & supplies — Board secretary	65	
	Periodicals	100	
	School Board expenses	1,600	
	Annual meeting expenses	60	
	Ballots and advertising	180	2,545
190.2	Other Expenses — Superintendent's Office		
	Travel (2 at \$500 ea.)	1,000	
	Conferences and meetings (2 at \$600 ea.)	1,200	
	Dues	539	
	Office expenses: forms and stationery	350	
	postage	800	
	custodial supplies	300	
	general office supplies	975	
	paper supplies	3,500	
	Secretaries inservice, Board meetings	300	
	Books and periodicals	400	9,364

## Instruction

210.1	Salaries — Principals		
	Principals & assistants — full time	\$ 72,175	\$
	Elementary assistant principals — part time	300	
	High School principal	17,500	
	Reserved for meritorious service	4,525	94,500
210.3	Salaries — Teachers		
	Classroom teachers	956,159	
	Substitutes	15,000	
	Teachers of the handicapped	74,082	
	Guidance & other pupil services	43,581	
	Home instruction	500	
	Department chairmen, Junior High	1,600	
	Special services	1,500	
	Coaches	2,250	
	Co-curricular activities	600	
	Summer workshops	1,550	
	Extended year, guidance & pupil services	7,133	
	Intramural stipends	800	
	New staff — teachers	32,680	
	Department consultant — high school	1,400	1,138,835
210.5	Salaries — Secretarial & Clerical Services		
	School secretaries (3)	13,450	
	Substitutes	675	
	Peak load temporaries	250	
	Clerk-typist	2,501	16,876
210.9	Other Salaries for Instruction		
	Library Aides	9,750	
	Educational Assistants	17,000	
	Large class support (4)	16,250	43,000
215	Textbooks		
	Replacement	14,357	
	New students	5,023	
	Programmatic adoptions:		
	music	204	
	reading	602	
	language arts, grades 7 & 8	797	
	science, grades 7 & 8	629	
	guidance	180	
	learning disabilities	500	22,292
220	Libraries & Audio-Visual Materials		
	Library books, grades 1-6	8,212	
	Encyclopedias	1,900	
	Periodicals	1,027	
	Library supplies	550	

	Maps and globes	196	
	A.V. materials	4,670	
	Recordings and tapes	1,150	
	Film rental	1,027	
	Library books — special	3,000	
	Media center — special	900	
	Basic library references	465	
	Guidance materials	868	
	L.D. materials	711	24,676
230	Teaching Supplies		
	General supplies	35,929	
	Workbooks	18,586	
	Tests	6,134	
	Language and math aids	2,939	
	Art	9,079	
	Athletics	2,119	
	Home economics. Grades 7 & 8	1,147	
	Music and band	2,199	
	Physical education and health	2,769	
	Science, Grades 7 & 8	3,891	
	Shop, Grades 7 & 8	3,221	
	Special education	915	
	Guidance	300	
	Speech	400	
	Learning Disabilities	840	
	Low level science	1,100	91,568
235	Contracted Services for Instruction		
	Athletic officials	1,144	
	Educational consultants	1,400	
	Curriculum & in-service training	2,500	
	Educational TV	1,880	
	Individual I.Q. testing	750	
	Negotiations consultant	4,500	
	Readiness testing	1,632	
	SERESC diagnostic services	4,512	18,318
290	Other Expenses for Instruction		
	Report cards and forms	1,345	
	Diplomas	864	
	Stationery	150	
	Postage	406	
	Professional books	750	
	Conferences & meeting expenses - teachers	990	
	Conferences & meeting expenses - principals	210	
	Principals' convention	500	
	Graduation expenses	100	
	Local workshops	400	

Tuition reimbursement	12,350	
Public communications	300	
Office supplies	600	
Junior High handbooks	450	
Athletics — league dues	97	
In-service materials	625	
Membership in professional associations	820	
All-State music registrations	270	
Travel for home visits	300	21,527

#### Attendance

310	Salaries — Attendance		
	Attendance officer	25	25

#### Health Services

410	Salaries — Health Services		
	Nurses	33,688	
	Substitutes	600	
	Pre-school registration	110	34,398
490	Other Expenses for Health Services		
	First aid supplies — general	1,160	
	First aid supplies — athletics	250	
	Dry cleaning blankets	20	
	Physical exams — pupil general	50	
	Physical exams — athletics	1,400	
	Physical exams — lunch workers	450	
	Physical exams — psychological	450	
	Professional journals	60	
	Forms and miscellaneous supplies	250	
	Nurses' travel	75	4,165

#### Transportation

535	Contracted Services — Pupil Transportation		
	In-District — elementary	73,333	
	High School	138,283	
	Athletics	3,251	
	Field trips	5,622	
	Gasoline price increase as per contract	4,000	224,489

#### Operation of Plant

610	Salaries for Operation of Plant		
	Custodians on contract	87,375	
	Substitutes	1,900	
	Overtime	1,700	
	Summer help — North School	800	91,775



630	Supplies for Operation of Plant		
	Light bulbs and starters	2,353	
	Personnel sanitary supplies	2,433	
	Cleaning supplies	11,764	
	Grounds care supplies	800	
	Flags	70	
	Uniforms	294	17,714
635	Contracted Services for Operation of Plant		
	Garbage removal	1,617	
	Summer rubbish pickup	118	
	Trucking	200	
	Septic tank cleaning	582	
	Pest control	251	
	Power sweeping — grounds	300	3,068
640	Heat for Buildings		
	Fuel oil — Matthew Thornton School	12,298	
	Electric — North & Junior High	84,785	97,083
645	Utilities — other than heat		
	Electricity	45,885	
	Telephone	7,050	
	Gas	186	
	Fire alarm lines	393	53,514
690	Other Expenses for Operation of Plant		
	Custodial workshops	90	90

#### **Maintenance**

710	Salaries for Plant Maintenance		
	Summer painting	3,000	3,000
725	Replacement of Equipment		
	Instructional	2,425	
	Non-instructional	2,777	5,202
726	Repairs to Equipment		
	A.V. equipment	1,425	
	Playground equipment	140	
	Floor machines	275	
	Replace furniture glides	65	
	Language Lab — Junior High	500	
	Office machines, including service contracts		
	clocks	350	
	copiers	525	
	typewriters	270	
	mimeo machines	170	
	adding machines & calculators	25	
	duplicators	175	

	Alarm systems, service & operation	220	
	Sewing machines	100	4,240
735	Contracted Service for Maintenance		
	Maintenance of mechanical systems	3,990	
	Roof repairs, Matthew Thornton	1,000	
	Boiler repairs, Matthew Thornton	1,300	
	Chalkboards, Matthew Thornton	2,210	
	Motorized valves for heating system, Matthew Thornton	1,800	
	Repair work in six restrooms, Matthew Thornton	9,000	
	Carpeting, Junior High	900	
	Magnetic door latches, Junior High	2,200	
	Painting of fence, Junior High	960	
	Magnetic door latches, North	2,200	
	Seal parking lot and paint lines, North	2,500	28,060
766	Supplies & Materials for Building Repairs		
	Paint	1,150	
	Sheet plastic for windows	500	
	Nails, screws, washers, etc.	300	
	Miscellaneous small tools	350	2,300
790	Other Expenses for Plant Maintenance		
	Lawnmowing — by contract	2,800	
	Other lawn care — Junior High	700	3,500
<b>Fixed Charges</b>			
850.1	State Employees Retirement System		
	District share for custodians	2,797	
	District share for secretaries	530	
	District share for union employees	2,910	6,237
850.2	Teachers Retirement System		
	District contribution on account of teachers and principals	38,660	38,660
850.3	Federal Insurance Contribution Act (Social Security)		
	Principals	5,688	
	Teachers	64,134	
	Nurses	2,012	
	Substitutes	878	
	Library Aides & Educational Assistants	2,847	
	Secretaries & Clerks	1,023	
	Custodians	5,400	
	Union employees and School Board	5,859	87,841
850.4	Unemployment Compensation		
	Reimbursement for unemployment compensation	2,000	2,000

855	Insurance		
	Fire, Comprehensive Liability,		
	Employer/Employee Liability	14,998	
	Deductibility	1,000	
	Steam boiler	107	
	Fidelity bonds	90	
	Workmen's Compensation	5,709	
	Employee life	1,625	
	Nurses' liability	60	
	Union office	181	
	Hospital/Surgical/Major Medical:		
	teachers	41,514	
	principals	2,693	
	secretaries	1,010	
	custodians	5,049	
	nurses	1,389	
	union employees	2,356	77,781
860	Rental of Land & Buildings		
	Rental of union office	11,384	11,384

**School Lunch, Milk Programs &  
Public Law 89-10, Title I**

975.1	Reimbursement of Federal Funds to Operative Reimbursement — lunch & milk programs	49,440	49,440
975.2	District Support of Lunch Fund District support	100	100
985.3	Public Law 89-10, Title I Estimated grant	34,000	34,000

**Community Activities**

1100	Community Activities — Reimbursable Custodial salaries	2,515	2,515
1190	Community Activities — Not Reimbursed Custodial service — civic activities	2,000	
	Security for school public functions	840	2,840

**Capital Outlay**

1267	New Equipment		
	Audio-Visual	2,841	
	Libraries — Media Centers	1,322	
	Health services	590	
	General instructional & furniture	2,598	
	Music	1,753	
	Physical Education	1,506	

Art	617	
Industrial Arts	922	
Office equipment	1,080	
Maintenance	596	13,825

#### Debt Service

1370	Principal Payments on Borrowings		
	Current debt	220,000	
	Phases III. & IV	185,000	405,000
1371	Interest on Debt		
	Current debt	131,286	
	Phases III & IV	194,250	
	South Elementary School	48,900	374,436

#### Outgoing Transfer Accounts

1477.1	Tuition, Public — In-State		
	Pinkerton Academy	695,556	
	Manchester	78,705	
	Alvirne	120,633	
	Salem	4,392	
	Easter Seal	18,802	
	Adjustment after audit	30,904	948,992
1479.1	Tuition — Handicapped		
	Crotched Mountain	2,320	
	Easter Seal	11,046	
	William J. Moore Center	8,064	
	Amoskeag Center	5,225	
	Derry Trainable Class	4,180	
	Laconia State School	2,090	
	Miss Jacques School	3,300	
	SERESC L.A.P.	17,600	
	Therapy programs	3,168	56,993
1479.2	Transportation — Handicapped		
	Handicapped transportation	36,450	36,450
	TOTAL		<u>\$4,291,420</u>



# LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT

## 1978-1979 Budget

### Administration

110.1	Salaries of School District Officers		
	Board Chairman	\$ 500	\$
	Board members (4 at \$400 each)	1,600	
	Treasurer	500	
	Secretary	<u>1,500</u>	4,100
110.2	Salaries of Supervisory Union Administrators		
	Professional Salaries	<u>49,304</u>	49,304
110.3	Salaries — Supervisory Union Secretarial/Clerical		
	Secretaries on contract & Administrative		
	Assistant	33,288	
	Peak load temporaries	<u>360</u>	33,648
135	Contracted Services for Administration		
	Moderator	50	
	District Clerk	50	
	Auditors	2,500	
	Ballot Clerks	110	
	Supervisors of Checklist	180	
	School census	2,520	
	Legal fees	5,000	
	Court Reporter — District Meeting	700	
	Data Processing	<u>4,000</u>	15,110
190.1	Expenses of District Office		
	New Hampshire School Board Association dues	720	
	Postage — Treasurer	65	
	Postage & Supplies — Board secretary	65	
	Periodicals	110	
	School Board expenses	1,600	
	Annual meeting expenses	60	
	Ballots and advertising	<u>180</u>	2,800
190.2	Other expenses — Superintendent's Office		
	Travel (2 at \$600 each)	1,200	
	Conferences and meetings (2 at \$600 each)	1,200	
	Dues	463	
	Office expenses: forms and stationery	1,500	
	postage	1,150	
	custodial supplies	350	
	general office supplies	1,350	
	paper supplies	1,500	
	Secretaries inservice, Board meetings	300	
	Books and periodicals	<u>440</u>	9,453

## Instruction

210.1	Salaries — Principals		
	Principals & assistants — full time	\$ 123,016	\$
	Elementary assistant principals — part time	<u>450</u>	123,466
210.3	Salaries — Teachers		
	Classroom teachers	*	
	Substitutes	*	
	Teachers of the handicapped	*	
	Guidance & other pupil services	*	
	Home instruction	500	
	Department coordinators	23,328	
	Special services	500	
	Interscholastic coaches	*	
	Co-curricular activities	*	
	Summer workshops	42,784	
	Extended year, guidance & pupil services	*	
	Intramural stipends	*	
	Auxiliary teachers	<u>17,238</u>	84,350
210.5	Salaries — Secretarial & Clerical Services		
	School secretaries	38,332	
	Substitutes and peak load temporaries	<u>1,834</u>	40,166
210.9	Other Salaries for Instruction		
	Library Aides	17,398	
	Educational Assistants	<u>32,900</u>	50,298
215	Textbooks		
	Replacement	6,158	
	New students	79,396	
	Programmatic adoptions	<u>17,081</u>	102,635
220	Libraries & Audio-Visual Materials		
	Library books, grades 1-11	35,284	
	Reference books	5,000	
	Periodicals	3,057	
	Library supplies	1,200	
	A.V. materials	32,293	
	Recordings and tapes	2,002	
	Film rental	3,800	
	Library books — special	26,680	
	Media center — special	1,500	
	Basic library references	<u>500</u>	111,316
230	Teaching Supplies		
	General supplies	\$ 77,230	\$

\* Included in Warrant Article No. 7.

	Workbooks	29,202		
	Tests	12,362		
	Language and math aids	5,072		
	Art	17,406		
	Athletics	37,549		
	Home economics	4,225		
	Music and band	7,561		
	Physical education and health	13,263		
	Science	47,508		
	Shop	18,062		
	Special education	918		
	Guidance	272		
	Speech	1,046		
	Learning Disabilities	2,933		
	Business education	1,086		
	Co-curricular	395		
	Driver education	1,533		
	English	826		
	Foreign language	1,066		
	Language Arts	2,453		
	Math	1,810		
	Reading	3,604		
	Social studies	2,653		
	Vocational education	5,902		
	Health	36	\$	295,973
235	Contracted Services for Instruction			
	Educational consultants	5,400		
	Curriculum & in-service training	2,500		
	Educational TV	2,677		
	Individual I.Q. testing	1,200		
	Negotiations consultant	4,500		
	Reading testing	1,750		
	SERESC diagnostic	8,245		
	Students scheduling — high school	9,000	\$	35,272
290	Other Expenses for Instruction			
	Report cards and forms	\$ 2,895	\$	
	Stationery	325		
	Postage	1,225		
	Professional books	1,225		
	Professional books	1,013		
	Conferences & meeting expenses — teachers	*		
	Conferences & meeting expenses — principals	850		
	Principals' convention	1,080		
	Tuition reimbursement	*		
	Office supplies	4,395		
	Handbooks and manuals	2,760		
	Athletics — league dues	371		

In-service materials	335	
Memberships in professional associations	2,000	
All-State music registrations	845	
Travel for home visits	*	
Health	90	
Conferences — secretaries	150	
Co-curricular & scholastic awards	1,000	
Parents' Night	300	
Flags and banners	1,455	
Guidance reference	500	\$ 21,589

#### Attendance

310	Salaries — Attendance		
	Attendance officers	25	25

#### Health Services

410	Salaries — Health Services		
	Nurses	*	
	Substitutes	552	
	Pre-school registration	276	828
490	Other Expenses for Health Services		
	First aid supplies — general	3,075	
	First aid supplies — athletics	3,265	
	Dry cleaning blankets	80	
	Physical exams — pupil general	70	
	Physical exams — athletics, junior high	500**	
	Physical exams — lunch workers	850	
	Professional journals	160	
	Forms and miscellaneous supplies	400	
	Nurses' travel	100	\$ 8,500

\* Included in Warrant Article No. 7.

\*\* Amount for high school included in Warrant Article No. 5.

#### Transportation

535	Contracted Services — Pupil Transportation		
	In-District — elementary	\$ 114,069	\$
	High School	152,361	
	Athletics	20,624	
	Field trips	4,713	
	Gasoline price increase as per contract	5,329	\$ 297,096

#### Operation of Plant

610	Salaries for Operation of Plant		
	Custodians on contract	133,379	
	Overtime	1,890	135,269



630	Supplies for Operation of Plant		
	Light bulbs and starters	2,504	
	Personnel sanitary supplies	4,013	
	Cleaning supplies	20,968	
	Grounds care supplies	1,600	
	Flags	135	
	Uniforms	272	29,492
635	Contracted Services for Operation of Plant		
	Garbage removal	3,113	
	Summer rubbish pickup	228	
	Trucking	200	
	Septic tank cleaning	640	
	Pest control	276	4,457
640	Heat for Buildings		
	Fuel oil	31,105	
	Electric	167,207	198,312
645	Utilities — other than heat		
	Electricity	85,876	
	Telephone	20,121	
	Gas	444	
	Fire alarm lines	605	
	Telephone installation	1,101	108,147
690	Other Expense for Operation of Plant		
	Custodial workshops	240	240

#### Maintenance

710	Salaries for Plant Maintenance		
	Maintenance Supervisor	\$ 13,500	\$ 13,500
725	Replacement of Equipment		
	Instructional	5,440	
	Non-instruction	3,258	8,698
726	Repairs to Equipment		
	A.V. equipment	1,710	
	Playground equipment	100	
	Floor machines	600	
	Replace furniture glides	75	
	Language Lab — Junior High	500	
	Office machines, including service contracts		
	clocks	450	
	copiers	540	
	typewriters	100	
	mimeo machines	220	
	adding machines & calculators	75	

duplicators	225	
Alarm systems, service & operation	100	
Sewing machines	100	
Physical Education equipment	404	
Art equipment	100	
Athletic equipment	215	
Band equipment	400	
Shop equipment	400	
Health equipment	235	
T.V. antenna system	150	
Public address system		
Matthew Thornton	200	
Driver education car	449	7,348

735	Contracted Service for Maintenance		
	Maintenance of mechanical systems	3,900	
	Roof repairs	2,500	
	Double doors — Matthew Thornton	1,058	
	Security system — South	1,474	8,932

766	Supplies & Materials for Building Repairs		
	Paint	1,150	
	Sheet plastic for windows	1,200	
	Nails, screws, washers, etc.	500	
	Miscellaneous small tools	500	3,350

#### Fixed Charges

850.1	State Employees Retirement System		
	District share for custodians	\$ 6,087	\$
	District share for secretaries	1,581	
	District share for union employees	2,912	10,580

850.2	Teachers Retirement System		
	District contribution on account of teachers and principals	7,397	7,397

850.3	Federal Insurance Contribution Act (Social Security)		
	Principals	7,519	
	Teachers	7,464*	
	Nurses	*	
	Substitutes	*	
	Library Aides & Educational Assistants	3,067	
	Secretaries & Clerks	2,754	
	Custodians	11,489	
	Union employees and School Board	5,316	37,609

850.4	Unemployment Compensation		
	Reimbursement for unemployment compensation	8,927	8,927

850.5	Retirement Benefits		
	Reimbursement for retirement pensions	<u>2,000</u>	2,000
855	Insurance		
	Fire, Comprehensive Liability, Employer/Employee Liability	36,643	
	Deductibility	1,000	
	Steam boiler	118	
	Fidelity bonds	90	
	Workmen's Compensation	12,722*	
	Employee life	248*	
	Nurses' liability	80	
	Union office	277	
	Hospital/Surgical/Major Medical:		
	teachers	*	
	principals	5,058	
	secretaries	1,269	
	custodians	6,069	
	nurses	*	
	supervisory union employees	<u>2,532</u>	66,106
860	Rental of Land & Buildings		
	Rental of union office	<u>20,625</u>	20,625

\* Amounts for all those employees covered by negotiated agreement included in Warrant Article No. 7.

### **School Lunch, Milk Programs & Public Law 89-10, Title I**

975.1	Reimbursement of Federal Funds to Operative		
	Reimbursement — lunch & milk programs	<u>\$ 80,093</u>	\$ 80,093
975.2	District Support of Lunch Fund		
	District support	<u>100</u>	100
985.3	Public Law 89-10, Title I		
	Estimated grant	<u>40,203</u>	40,203

### **Student Activities**

1075	Athletics	<u>14,681</u>	14,681
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### **Community Activities**

1100	Community Activities — Reimbursable		
	Custodial salaries	<u>3,773</u>	3,773
1190	Community Activities — Not Reimbursed		
	Custodial service — civic activities	3,000	
	Security for school public functions	<u>2,240</u>	5,240

**Capital Outlay**

1265	Sites		
	Site evaluations and options	<u>10,000</u>	10,000
1267	New Equipment		
	Audio-Visual	7,401	
	Health services	219	
	General instructional & furniture	2,642	
	Music	11,183	
	Physical Education	4,801	
	Art	3,550	
	Industrial Arts	1,300	
	Office equipment	5,931	
	Maintenance	7,490	
	Athletics	5,909	
	Driver education	276	
	Foreign language	1,192	
	Home Economics	2,225	
	English	312	
	Guidance	3,337	
	Math	7,544	
	Science	24,051	
	Union	910	
	Vocational Education	882	
	learning Disabilities	<u>1,503</u>	92,658

**Debt Service**

1370	Principal Payments on Borrowings		
	Current debt	<u>\$ 485,000</u>	\$ 485,000
1371	Interest on Debt		
	Current debt	<u>383,429</u>	383,429

**Outgoing Transfer Accounts**

1477.1	Tuition, Public — In-State		
	Pinkerton Academy	145,044	
	Manchester	27,900	
	Alvirne	13,200	
	Adjustment after audit	<u>1,896</u>	188,040
1479.1	Tuition — handicapped		
	A-TMR Class	6,600	
	Amoskeag Center	12,200	
	Crotched Mountain	2,750	
	Derry TMR Class	4,680	
	Eagle Hill School	1,375	
	Easter Seal School	15,175	
	Ernest Herrman School	3,650	



Laconia State School	1,375	
NEEDS, Inc.	2,875	
North River School (formerly Miss Jacques' School)	2,150	
SERESC L.A.P.	17,600	
William J. Moore Center	1,865	
Therapy programs	4,250	
Resident costs (P.L. 94-142)	<u>20,000</u>	96,545
1479.2 Transportation — Handicapped		
Handicapped transportation	<u>43,740</u>	43,740
TOTAL		<u>\$3,400,420</u>

	Budget 1976-77	Expended 1976-77	Budget 1977-78	Proposed 1978-79
<b>100 Series: Administration</b>				
110.1 Salaries of School District Officers	\$ 3,700	\$ 3,573	\$ 4,100	\$ 4,100
110.2 Salaries of Sup. Union Administrators	43,460	43,460	45,200	49,304
110.3 Salaries of Sup. Union Secretarial	23,391	23,262	27,322	33,648
135 Contracted Services for Administration	11,940	14,978	10,180	15,110
190.1 Expenses of District Office	2,450	2,961	2,545	2,800
190.2 Other Expenses — Superintendent's Office	8,285	8,117	9,364	9,453
<b>200 Series: Instruction</b>				
210.1 Salaries — Principals	\$ 69,695	\$ 69,395	\$ 94,500	\$ 123,466
210.3 Salaries — Teachers	998,924	977,848	1,138,835	84,350
210.5 Salaries — Secretarial & Clerical Services	15,876	12,025	16,876	40,166
210.9 Other Salaries for Instruction	44,297	37,654	43,000	50,298
215 Textbooks	23,378	32,109	22,292	102,635
220 Library & Audio-Visual Materials	20,315	20,563	24,676	111,316
230 Teaching Supplies	74,456	74,831	91,568	295,973
235 Contracted Services for Instruction	13,847	8,462	18,318	35,272
290 Other Expenses for Instruction	15,820	15,316	21,527	21,589
<b>300 Series: Attendance</b>				
310 Salaries — Attendance	\$ 25	\$ 0	\$ 25	\$ 25
<b>400 Series: Health Services</b>				
410 Salaries — Health Services	\$ 31,457	\$ 31,378	\$ 34,398	\$ 828
490 Other Expenses for Health Services	4,123	2,801	4,165	8,500

	Budget 1976-77	Expended 1976-77	Budget 1977-78	Proposed 1978-79
<b>500 Series: Transportation</b>				
535 Pupil Transportation	\$ 224,415	\$ 210,685	\$ 224,489	\$ 297,096
<b>600 Series: Operation of Plant</b>				
610 Salaries for Operation of Plant	\$ 87,021	\$ 85,321	\$ 91,775	\$ 135,269
630 Supplies for Operation of Plant	15,773	15,615	17,714	29,492
635 Contracted Services for Operation of Plant	4,950	3,774	3,068	4,457
640 Heat for Buildings	82,779	73,823	97,083	198,312
645 Utilities — Other Than Heat	47,742	41,883	53,514	108,147
690 Other Expenses for Operation of Plant	90	0	90	240
<b>700 Series: Maintenance</b>				
710 Salaries for Plant Maintenance	\$ 2,930	\$ 3,838	\$ 3,000	\$ 13,500
725 Replacement of Equipment	3,358	5,042	5,202	8,698
726 Repairs to Equipment	4,559	7,495	4,240	7,348
735 Contracted Services for Maintenance	29,822	42,366	28,060	8,932
766 Supplies & Materials for Bldg. Repairs	2,292	2,887	2,300	3,350
790 Other Expenses for Plant Maintenance	3,000	2,740	3,500	0
<b>800 Series: Fixed Charges</b>				
850.1 State Employees Retirement System	\$ 5,025	\$ 5,118	\$ 6,237	\$ 10,580
850.2 Teachers Retirement System	33,046	24,677	38,660	7,397
850.3 Federal Insurance Contribution Act (FICA)	80,157	74,332	87,841	37,609
850.4 Unemployment Compensation	0	0	2,000	8,927
850.5 Retirement Benefits	0	0	0	2,000
855 Insurance	74,789	51,696	77,781	66,106
860 Rental of Land & Buildings	10,236	10,171	11,384	20,625

	Budget 1976-77	Expended 1976-77	Budget 1977-78	Proposed 1978-79
<b>900 Series: School Lunch &amp; Title I</b>				
975.1 Reimbursement of Federal Funds to Operative	\$ 29,233	\$ 58,333	\$ 49,440	\$ 80,093
975.2 District Support of Lunch Fund	100	0	100	100
985.3 Public Law 89-10, Title I & Title III	24,228	49,057	34,000	40,203
<b>1000 Series: Student Activities</b>				
1075 Athletics	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 14,681
<b>1100 Series: Community Activities</b>				
1100 Community Activitivs — Reimbursable	\$ 2,350	\$ 2,350	\$ 2,515	\$ 3,773
1190 Community Activities — Not Reimbursed	2,840	2,753	2,840	5,240
<b>1200 Series: Capital Outlay</b>				
1265 Sites	\$ 10,000	\$ 9,160	\$ 0	\$ 10,000
1266 Buildings	0	0	0	0
1267 New Equipment	11,531	15,234	13,825	92,658
<b>1300 Series: Debt Service</b>				
1370 Principal Payments on Borrowings	\$ 220,000	\$ 220,000	\$ 405,000	\$ 485,000
1371 Interest on Debt	271,511	142,012	374,436	383,429
<b>1400 Series: Outgoing Transfer Accounts</b>				
1477.1 Tuition, Public — In-state	\$ 830,715	\$ 734,746	\$ 948,992	\$ 188,040
1479.1 Tuition, Handicapped	54,807	40,277	56,993	96,545
1479.2 Transportation, Handicapped	25,000	30,415	36,450	43,740
TOTALS	<u>\$3,599,738</u>	<u>\$3,344,533</u>	<u>\$4,291,420</u>	<u>\$3,400,420</u>



**LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Long-Term Indebtedness**  
**Comparative Balance Sheet**  
**June 30, 1977 and June 30, 1976**

<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Amount To Be Provided For Retirement of Long-Term Debt</b>		
	<b>June 30, 1977</b>	<b>June 30, 1976</b>
	<u>\$6,360,000</u>	<u>\$2,880,000</u>

**LIABILITIES**

**Bonds Outstanding**

School Bonds — 1960	\$ 25,000	\$ 30,000
School Bonds — 1963	65,000	80,000
North Londonderry School Bonds — 1966	125,000	150,000
School Bonds — 1969	80,000	90,000
High School — Phase I — 1971	1,125,000	1,200,000
High School Phase — II — 1974	1,060,000	1,140,000
High School — Phase II — 1975	180,000	190,000
High School — Phases III and IV — 1977	3,700,000	
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<u>\$6,360,000</u>	<u>\$2,880,000</u>

**LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Long-Term Indebtedness**  
**Statement of Debt Service Requirements**  
**June 30, 1977**

	School Bonds — Phase I		High School — Phase II		High School — Phase II		High School — Phase II	
	5.10%		(State Guaranteed)		Bonds		Bonds	
			4.90%				5.20%	
Amount of Original Issue	\$1,600,000		\$975,000		\$325,000		\$100,000	
Date of Original Issue	October 1, 1971		March 1, 1974		March 1, 1974		June 15, 1975	
Principal Payable Date	October 1		March 1		March 1		June 15	
Interest Payable Dates	April 1 and October 1		September 1 and March 1		September 1 and March 1		December 15 and June 15	
Payable At	The Shawmut Bank of Boston		The Shawmut Bank of Boston		The Shawmut Bank of Boston		The Shawmut Bank of Boston	

Maturities — Fiscal Year Ending	School Bonds — Phase I		High School — Phase II		High School — Phase II		High School — Phase II	
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
June 30, 1978	\$ 75,000	\$ 55,462	\$ 60,000	\$ 38,955	\$ 20,000	\$ 13,780	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,220
June 30, 1979	75,000	51,638	60,000	36,015	20,000	12,740	5,000	4,930
June 30, 1980	75,000	47,812	60,000	33,075	20,000	11,700	5,000	4,640
June 30, 1981	75,000	43,988	60,000	30,135	20,000	10,660	5,000	4,350
June 30, 1982	75,000	40,162	60,000	27,195	20,000	9,620	5,000	4,060
June 30, 1983	75,000	36,338	60,000	24,255	20,000	8,580	5,000	3,770
June 30, 1984	75,000	32,512	60,000	21,315	20,000	7,540	5,000	3,480
June 30, 1985	75,000	28,688	60,000	18,375	20,000	6,500	5,000	3,190
June 30, 1986	75,000	24,862	60,000	15,435	20,000	5,460	5,000	2,900
June 30, 1987	75,000	21,038	60,000	12,495	20,000	4,420	5,000	2,610
June 30, 1988	75,000	17,212	30,000	9,555	10,000	3,380	5,000	2,320
June 30, 1989	75,000	13,388	30,000	8,085	10,000	2,860	5,000	2,030
June 30, 1990	75,000	9,562	30,000	6,615	10,000	2,340	5,000	1,740
June 30, 1991	75,000	5,738	30,000	5,145	10,000	1,820	5,000	1,450

June 30, 1992	75,000	1,912	30,000	3,675	10,000	1,300	5,000	1,160
June 30, 1993			30,000	2,205	10,000	780	5,000	870
June 30, 1994			15,000	735	5,000	260	5,000	580
June 30, 1995							5,000	290
June 30, 1996								
June 30, 1977								

TOTALS	\$1,125,000	\$430,312	\$795,000	\$293,265	\$265,000	\$103,740	\$90,000	\$49,590
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June 30, 1992	5,000	1,250	185,000	58,275	310,000	67,572
June 30, 1993	5,000	938	185,000	48,562	235,000	53,355
June 30, 1994	5,000	625	185,000	38,850	215,000	41,050
June 30, 1995	5,000	312	185,000	29,137	195,000	29,739
June 30, 1996			185,000	19,425	185,000	19,425
June 30, 1997			185,000	9,713	185,000	9,713
TOTALS	\$90,000	\$53,437	\$3,700,000	\$2,039,625	\$6,360,000	\$3,012,048

**LONDONDERRY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Long-Term Indebtedness**  
**Statement of Debt Service Requirements**  
**June 30, 1977**

Amount of Original Issue Date of Original issue Principal Payable Date Interest Payable Dates Payable At	School Bonds		North Londonderry School Bonds		School Bonds	
	3 3/4 %	3 %	4.20 %	6.30 %		
	\$105,000	\$275,000	\$375,000	\$175,000		
	November 1, 1960	June 1, 1963	September 1, 1966	August 1, 1969		
	November 1	June 1	September 1	August 1		
	May 1 and November 1	June 1 and December 1	March 1 and September 1	February 1 and August 1		
	The Shawmut Bank of Boston	The Shawmut Bank of Boston	The Shawmut Bank of Boston	The Shawmut Bank of Boston		
					Principal	Interest
	\$ 5,000	\$15,000	\$ 25,000	\$10,000	\$ 4,725	\$ 4,725
	5,000	10,000	25,000	10,000	4,095	4,095
	5,000	10,000	25,000	10,000	3,465	3,465
	5,000	10,000	25,000	10,000	2,835	2,835
	5,000	10,000	25,000	10,000	2,205	2,205
		10,000	25,000	10,000	1,575	1,575
				10,000	945	945
				10,000	315	315

Maturities — Fiscal Year Ending	
June 30, 1978	
June 30, 1979	
June 30, 1980	
June 30, 1981	
June 30, 1982	
June 30, 1983	
June 30, 1984	
June 30, 1985	
June 30, 1986	
June 30, 1987	
June 30, 1988	
June 30, 1989	
June 30, 1990	
June 30, 1991	
June 30, 1992	

June 30, 1993  
June 30, 1994  
June 30, 1995  
June 30, 1996  
June 30, 1977

TOTALS	\$25,000	\$2,344	\$65,000	\$6,450	\$125,000	\$13,125	\$80,000	\$20,160
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## TITLE I REPORT

It is with great pleasure and pride that I report to you, the people of Londonderry, the Title I Report for school year 1976-1977.

Our project goal, for this first year, was to provide supplementary help in the areas of language and communications in addition to working on level positive attitudes and behaviors. The Title I project is federally funded and has given us the opportunity to service one hundred and twenty five youngsters from Londonderry.

It is my desire to provide you with a brief awareness of the many happenings of the program at each school.

**North School:** Mrs. Stuck, Title I Tutor.

Service was provided to thirty-six children every day for a half hour period. We worked closely with classroom teachers in providing assistance in basic language arts skills such as writing, speaking and grammar.

**Matthew Thornton School:** Mrs. Bradford, Title I Tutor.

Service was provided to twenty-nine students every day for one-half hour. Assistance was provided to our students in basic language arts skills as well as stressing positive areas of work and behavior.

**Middle School:** Mrs. Bradley, Title I Tutor.

Service was provided to 38 students for one hour on alternate days. Students worked on basic oral and written communication skills.

**Junior High:** Mr. Longmaid, Title I Tutor.

Service was provided to twenty-two students every day for one period. Reading, language arts and communications among peers was stressed.

At this time I would like to express sincere appreciation to Dr. Roberts for his support and confidence in me and the Title I Program. My sincere gratitude and praise to the Title I Tutors for their hard work and devotion to the program, I commend you.

Special thanks to the one hundred twenty-five students we served, for I have had the opportunity to see your growth and progress in addition to knowing a very special group of children.

Respectfully submitted,  
Joanne Fouquette,  
Title I Project Director



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